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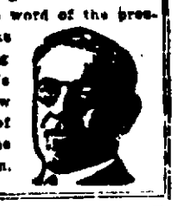

PRESIDENT REJECTS POPE'S PEACE OFFER

Wilson Tells Pontiff Kaiser Cannot Be Trusted and That Peace Must Be on Firm Basis.

Washington, Aug. 29.—President Wilson has rejected the pope's proposals.

In a note dispatched Monday night, and made public here last night, the president expressed appreciation of the lofty motives by which the pontiff was actuated, but declared virtually that the purpose of the war was to deliver free peoples from the menace and power of the German military establishment and that no peace was possible by an adjustment which would permit the continuance of German militarism and its activities.

MUST CRUSH MILITARISM.

In effect, the reply to the note of Pope Benedict is a reaffirmation of the purpose of the United States to continue the conflict until the German military machine has been crushed. There is in it no hint of compromise, nor does it hold out any hope of concluding the war under any other terms.

The president asserts that the adoption of the vatican's peace proposal would not give to the world any guarantee of safety in the future because the word of a government which has disregarded treaties and violated the neutrality of small countries in an effort to realize its dreams of world domination is not to be relied upon.

The note with its unequivocal denunciation of German military autocracy is believed to reflect accurately the attitude of the Allied governments. The general tenor of the communication had been anticipated but diplomats were surprised to find in it a virtual appeal to the German people to strive for emancipation from military control, and become fitted to deal with a world democracy.

TEXT OF REPLY.

The text of the president's note to Pope Benedict rejecting his peace proposals follows:

"Aug. 27 1917, to His Holiness, Benedictus XV, Pope.

"In acknowledgment of the communication of Your Holiness to the belligerent people, dated Aug. 1, 1917, the president of the United States requests me to transmit the following reply:

"Every heart that has not been blinded and hardened by this terrible war must be touched by this moving appeal of His Holiness the Pope. must feel the dignity and force of the humane and generous motives which prompted it, and must fervently wish that we might take the path of peace he so persuasively points out. But it would be folly to take it if it does not in fact lead to the goal he proposes. Our response must be based upon the stern facts and upon nothing else. It is not a mere cessation of arms he desires, it is a stable and enduring peace. This agony must not be gone through with again, and it must be a matter of very great sober judgment what will insure us against it.

DECLARE OBJECT OF WAR.

"His Holiness in substance proposes that we return to the status quo ante bellum, and that then there be a general condonation, disarmament and a concert of nations, based upon an acceptance of the principle of arbitration; that, by a similar concert freedom of the seas be established, and that the territorial claims of France, and Italy, the perplexity problem of the Balkan states and the restitution of Poland be left to such conciliatory adjustments as may be possible in the new temper of such a peace, due regard being paid to the aspirations of the people whose political fortunes and affiliations will be involved.

"It is manifest that no part of this program can be successfully carried out unless the restitution of the status quo ante bellum furnishes a firm and satisfactory basis for it. The object of this war is to deliver the free peoples of the world from the menace and actual power of a vast military establishment controlled by an irresponsible government which, having secretly planned to dominate the world proceeded to carry the plan out without regard either to the sacred obligations of treaty or the long established practices and long cherished principles of international action and honor; which chose its own time for the war, delivered its blow fiercely and suddenly, stopped at no barrier either of law or of mercy; swept a whole continent within the tide of blood—not the blood of soldiers only, but the blood of innocent women and children also, and of the helpless poor—and now stands balked, but not defeated, the enemy of four-fifths of the world.

POWER OF RUTHLESS MASTER.

This power is not the German people. It is the ruthless master of the German people. It is no business of ours how that great people came under its control or submitted with temporary zest to the domination of its purpose; but it is our business to see to it that the history of the rest of the world is no longer left to its handling.

To deal with such a power by way of peace upon the plan proposed by His Holiness, the pope, would so far as we can see, involve a recuperation of its strength and a renewal of its policy; would make it necessary to create a permanent hostile combination of nations against the German people, who are its instruments; and would result in abandoning the newborn Russia to the intrigue, the manifold subtle interferences, and the certain counter revolution which would be attempted by all the malign influences to which the German government has of late accustomed the world. Can peace be based upon a restitution of its power or upon any word of honor it could pledge in a treaty of settlement and accommodation?

Responsible statesmen see, if they never saw before, that no peace can rest securely upon political or economic restrictions meant to benefit some nations and cripple or embarrass others, upon vindictive action of any sort or any kind of revenge or deliberate injury.

NO DESIRE FOR REPRISAL.

The American people have suffered intolerable wrongs at the hands of the Imperial German Government, but desire no reprisal upon the German people, who have themselves suffered all things in this war, which they did not choose. They believe that peace should rest upon the rights of peoples, not the rights of governments—the rights of peoples great or small, weak or powerful—their equal right to freedom and security and self-government and to a participation upon fair terms in the economic opportunities in the world—the German people, of course, included, if they will accept equality and not seek domination.

The test, therefore, of every plan of peace is this: Is it based upon the faith of all the peoples involved or merely upon the word of an ambitious and intriguing government on the one hand, and of a group of free peoples, on the other? This is a test which goes to the root of the matter; and it is the test which must be applied.

The purposes of the United States in this war are known to the whole world—to every people to whom the truth has been permitted to come. They do not need to be stated again. We seek no material advantage of any kind. We believe that intolerable wrongs done in this war by the furious and brutal power of the Imperial German Government ought to be repaired, but not at the expense of the sovereignty of any people—rather a vindiction of the sovereignty, both of those that are weak and those that are strong. Punitive damages, the dismemberment of empires, the establishment of selfish and exclusive economic leagues, we deem inexpedient and in the end worse than futile, no proper basis for a peace of any kind, least of all for an enduring peace. That must be based upon justice and fairness and the common rights of mankind.

KAISER'S WORD WORTHLESS.

We cannot take the word of the present rulers of Germany as a guarantee of anything that is to endure, unless explicitly supported by such conclusive evidence of the will and purpose of the German people themselves as the other peoples of the world would be justified in accepting. Without such guarantees treaties of settlement, agreements for disarmament, covenants to set up arbitration in the place of force, territorial adjustments, reconstitutions of small nations, if made with the German Government, no man, no nation could now depend on. We must await some new evidence of the purposes of the great peoples of the central powers. God grant it may be given soon and in a way to restore the confidence of all peoples everywhere in the faith of nations and the possibility of a covenanted peace.

ROBERT LANSING,
Secretary of State of the United States of America.

Praise Wilson Note on Peace

Telegrams Pour Into White House Approving Rejection of Pope's Proposals.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Telegrams from all parts of the country began to pour into the White House today approving President Wilson's reply to Pope Benedict's peace proposals.

LAST FAREWELL TO AUTOCRACY.

Upon motion of Senator Brady, who characterized it as a last farewell to autocracy of the world, President Wilson's reply to the pope's peace proposals was ordered printed in the congressional record.

"While it rejects the pope's proposals," he said, "it points the way for the other nations to reach a peace in a fair and honorable manner."

Chairman Stone of the senate foreign relations committee made this comment:

"The note was just what I expected it would be. It was a strong note, as are all notes of the president."

GOOD NOTE, SAYS LODGE.

"It was a very good note," said Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, ranking Republican of the committee.

STATE WHEAT YIELD DOUBLES 1916 CROP

Springfield, Aug. 29.—The wheat yield of Illinois for 1917 totals 22,256,861 bushels, about double that of 1916, according to the crop report issued yesterday by the state department of agriculture. Based on the ruling price of $2.16 a bushel on August 1, the total value of the value is $48,074,849.

The conditions of growing corn in Illinois is eighty per cent of normal. Reports received from crop correspondents of the state department there are 9,725,133 acres planted, northern Illinois reporting 3,900,670 acres, central Illinois 4,406,791 acres and southern Illinois 1,417,492 acres. The average yield of oats in the state was forty-eight bushels to the acre. Hay averaged one and one-eighth tons to the acre.

FIND MAN DROWNED NEAR LINCOLN

Lincoln, Aug. 29.—Whether it was suicide or accidental drowning that led to the finding of the body of a man named Clifford McElfresh in the waters of Lake Fork Tuesday afternoon was a mystery that is insolvable to Broadwell people.

Vincent Fagan, fording Lake Fork on horseback, looked down when his horse shied and thought at first the body of the man was a log in the stream. Upon further investigation the dead man form of McElfresh was disclosed.

McElfresh had been in the employ of the Chicago & Alton as section man, was about 40 years of age and unmarried.

UPSTATE CORN IN NEED OF RAIN

Springfield, Aug. 29.—Fair to good rains fell in Illinois during the week ending Tuesday, Aug. 28, except in the northern part of the state, where drought is affecting corn, pastures potatoes and truck, according to the report of the weather bureau issued here today.

"Elsewhere," the report says, "growing crops are doing well, but need warm weather.

"Rains delayed threshing in central counties, but it is mostly completed.

"Considerable plowing has been done."

FAVOR INCREASE OF WAR PROFITS TAX

Senate Finance Committee Agrees to Amendments to Raise Over 500 Million More.

Washington, Aug. 29.—To meet the radical movement for greater taxation of war profits, the Senate finance committee today agreed to amendments carrying war profits taxes of more than 33 per cent in place of the present provisions for 26 per cent.

The amendments would increase the war profits tax yield from $562,000,000 to $1,060,000,000 in addition to the taxes under the present law and yield a third of the bill's total taxes.

The pre-war profits rate of the bill was retained by the committee, but it added a new maximum war profits tax rate of sixty per cent on profits in excess of 300 per cent. The maximum in the bill was fifty per cent on profits over 230 per cent.

Another substantial change was made in provisions for exemptions. A minimum of six per cent and a maximum of ten per cent of income on capital actually invested was approved. These provisions would care for corporations suffering abnormal depression during the pre-war period. Corporations making less than four per cent during that period would be entitled to at least that exemption and if more than ten per cent they would receive not over ten per cent deduction.

By these changes the committee estimated that the proposed levy would take $1,236,000,000 of the $3,000,000,000, or $4,000,000,000 war profits estimated to be earned this year.

Senators La Follette and Gore, prominent in the faction urging more radical war profits taxation, did not attend today's committee meeting. Chairman Simmons and others of the majority hope the new levy—almost doubled — will command sufficient support to cause rejection of the more drastic proposals.

SAYS PAPERS PAY ENOUGH.

Debate on the publishers' taxes was begun by Senator Shields, of Tennessee who supported Senator McKellar's substitute, and argued that magazines and other periodicals, not newspapers, cause the deficit in carrying second class mail.

"I am satisfied," he said, "that the daily papers are paying practically all, if not the full amount of the service they receive. Rates on magazines and other publications which cause the losses should be increased."

RUSSIAN RAILWAY PROBLEM THREATENS GREAT DISASTER

Extreme Demands of Rail Workers Causes Utter Disorganization of Transportation Lines.

Moscow, Aug. 29.—At the third general sitting of the national conference, railway representatives, including M. Froloff, of the engineers' alliance, reported that there existed a state of utter disorganization of transportation, which, unless improved, would cease completely by November. The representatives gave warning that the consequences would be terrible, both at home and on the front, and that the army might turn on the country and commit unexampled excesses.

CALLS FOR SACRIFICES.

The extreme demands of the railway workers, the speakers said, played an important part in this disorganization. They called on all those engaged in the transport services to sacrifice personal interests for those of the country.

M. Gruzenberg, speaking as the representative of the Jews, said that they loved their country, notwithstanding their unprecedented persecution under the old regimen and had contributed greatly to the emancipation of the people and the defense against the enemy.

Representatives of Ukraine and of western or white Russia, said the people were ready to make any sacrifice for the good of the country. The spokesman for the Letts declared Court and would never belong to Germany. Delegates representing the Mussulman alliance said all Mussulman citizens of Russia fully supported the provisional government.

General Grouzinoff, former military governor of Moscow, told the delegates that the chief problem was to save Russia from the enemy, and that to this end it was necessary to re-establish army discipline by eliminating politics, strengthening the authority of leaders, limiting the power of soldiers' committees to economic functions and giving the commander-in-chief opportunity to exercise unreserved authority.

ON MILITARY SETBACKS.

General Alexieff, former commander-in-chief made a long address in which he recounted the history of the Russians' military setbacks, and their causes. He drew contrasts between the army of the old regime, poorly equipped with mechanical resources but strong in warlike spirit, and the present army, well supplied with food and arms but completely poisoned and enfeebled by ill-interpreted and ill-applied doctrines which have been put forward, notably in the famous order of the day number one. These doctrines, he declared, had split the army into two opposite camps, officers and soldiers, which have become almost irreconcilable.

NO RESPECT TO OFFICERS.

The general maintained that after publication by the government of the declaration of the rights of the soldiers all respect toward leaders disappeared the officers becoming veritable martyrs and having to pay very dearly for the offensive of Aug. 1, and the subsequent retreat. The general cited some remarkable illustrations of this. On one occasion, he said, when an attack was being launched the force which advanced was made up of 23 officers, 20 noncommissioned officers and two soldiers. All the others looked on coldly while these heroes perished.

The general declared it would be impossible to carry on the war to a victorious conclusion unless the strongest possible efforts were made by the provisional government and by the troops themselves to re-animate and regenerate the army.

After Madame Catherine Breshkovskaya, the "grandmother of the revolution," had appealed to the government to pass from words to actions and help the army conquer the enemy, Prince Peter Kropatkin, who was not on the list of speakers, was heard at the request of the whole conference. He called upon all Russians to prevent the fatal eventuality of a German victory and expressed the hope that Russia would not be proclaimed a federative republic.

This sentiment, submitted to the conference for the first time evoked a long continuous ovation in honor of Price Kropatkin.

Other speakers, who declared against a separate peace, were loudly applauded.

KEEP UP ATTACKS ON GERMAN CHANCELLOR

Question Good Faith on Michaelis Concerning Peace.

Copenhagen, Aug. 29.—Attacks upon Imperial Chancellor Michaelis continue and Prof. Hans Delbrueck now asks the chancellor an embarrassing question concerning peace. In the Prussian year book, Prof. Delbrueck demands of Dr. Michaelis why, if he really accepts the Reichstag resolutions as the basis of his policy, he neglects to answer the inquiry made on July 26 in the English House of Commons by former Premier Asquith regarding Germany's readiness to evacuate and restore Belgium.

QUESTION GOOD FAITH.

Prof. Delbrueck, who openly questions the good faith of the Chancellor in professing to agree with the terms of the resolution, asks whether his silence in the face of Mr. Asquith's summons does not show that those are right who insist that Dr. Michaelis takes another standpoint from that contained in the resolution.

"If the German government is ready to conclude a peace on the basis of no annexations and no indemnities," asks the Professor, "why all this unprecedented apparatus of a joint committee of the Reichstag and Bundesrat to assist the Chancellor in drawing up a simple answer to the Pope's proposal of peace on that basis?"

HIS POLICY UNKNOWN.

The truth is, says Prof. Delbrueck, that Dr. Michaelis does not enjoy the confidence of the Reichstag. He could not possibly do so, the writer adds, after last week's events in the Reichstag main committee, and his tacit submission to the assertion that he is in reality opposed to the resolution. Neither the German nation nor the world knows what the Chancellor's policy is.

The Reichstag's resolution, Prof. Delbrueck concludes, would have had a different effect if it was not believed abroad that the Reichstag is powerless, and that the Chancellor is double tongued.

In his speech in the House of Commons on July 26 former Premier Asquith asked if Germany was prepared to evacuate Belgium, and make reparation and to restore absolute independence to Belgium. He said he would like to know the German answer to these questions.

HEAVY ARTILLERY BATTLE AT VERDUN

Paris, Aug. 29.— Violent artillery fighting is in progress on the Verdun front between Avocourt and Hill 304, and on the Aisne front, the war office announces. North of Caurieres Wood in the Verdun sector German reconnoitering forces were repulsed.

GERMANY GIVES IN TO ARGENTINA

Buenos Aires, Aug. 29.—Germany's reply to Argentina's note embodying demands in connection with the submarine campaign as affecting Argentine shipping has been received. In official circles it was stated that the reply was satisfactory. According to the newspaper La Razon, the German note meets all the demands of Argentina.

The note says that Germany "in order to maintain friendly relations with Argentina is willing to modify her blockade of enemy coasts, allowing freedom of the seas to vessels under the Argentine flag carrying food."

The note also promises the payment of an indemnity for the sinking of the Argentine steamer Toro by a German submarine.

RELIEVES CRISIS.

Buenos Aires, Aug. 29.—The favorable report made by the German government to Argentina concerning the submarine campaign relieved a tense and critical situation. The German reply, which La Epoca says is a diplomatic triumph, acquesces in the demands of Argentine for safety of Argentine ships and indemnification for the torpedoing of the steamer Toro "in order to maintain friendly relations." The note also concedes "freedom of the seas to vessels under the Argentine flag carrying food."

RUSSIANS HERE SURE NATION IS SAFE

New York, Aug. 29. — Rusians in this country, in constant touch with their native land, are sure Russia will be saved from the present crisis, according to a statement issued here today by the Russian information bureau.

"President Wilson's message to the Moscow national conference will be enthusiastically accepted by the entire Russia," A. J. Sack, director of the bureau said, declaring that "friends are proved in critical moments, and every assistance rendered now by the United States to Russia will never be forgotten by the Russian people.

ILLINOIS GIVES MORE THAN QUOTA

Washington, Aug. 29.—More than 200,000 war volunteers have enlisted in the regular army since April 1. This represents approximately 17,000 men in excess of the number needed on April 1 to build the regular service to its full authorized war strength. Figures made public show that Illinois has now supplied 16,923 men on a quota of 11,276.

FORMER GOVERNOR OF CANADA DIES

Earl Grey Expires After Long Illness.

London, Aug. 29.—Earl Grey, former governor general of Canada, died at six o'clock this morning at Howick House, Northumberland, after a long illness.

The funeral will be held at Howick on Saturday when a memorial service will be held in London.

Lord Strathcona described Earl Grey as "a statesman and a philanthropist in the best sense." His active career comprised not only the administration of the government of Rhodesia and representation of the British government as Governor-General of Canada, but industrial and financial operations in the development of South Africa. He was a prohibition advocate.

Earl Grey was an intimate friend of the late Joseph H. Choate, American ambassador to Great Britain, often visited the United States, called upon Presidents Roosevelt and Taft at Washington, and declared that he was a lover of America.

Born Nov. 28, 1851, Alfred Henry George, the fourth Earl Grey, was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge. He married in 1877 Alice Holford, of Westonbirt, England. Two daughters, Lady Evelyn Grey and Lady Sybil Grey were the result of the union.

Although born an aristocrat, Earl Grey was very democratic in his sympathies. This found chief expression in his almost life-long activity as a social reformer, in his efforts to reform the saloons of England and in the establishment of a co-operative partnership system on his estates in Northumberland.

Lean and bald, with shoulders a trifle rounded, Earl Grey was of distinguished appearance and interesting personality. By his democratic manner he made thousands of friends during his administration in Canada.

GOVERNMENT NEEDS HORSES AND MULES

Springfield, Aug. 29.—Horse breeders of Illinois have been called upon by the federal government to do their bit by offering for sale horses for cavalry, heavy and light artillery and pack and lead mules. Charles Adkins, director of the state department of agriculture, is in receipt of a letter from Quartermaster J. W. Burroughs of the United States army, asking that breeders be made familiar with the needs of the government and offer for sale animals which are in demand.

The letter states that horses and mules should be assembled at a given point in each county of the state, which will be visited by the government inspector, and if the horses pass the test a price will be fixed. Director Adkins will send out a circular lettee to the farm directors of the various counties asking them to interest themselves in the movement.

TO SEND $200,000 FOR SERB RELIEF

Washington, Aug. 29. — Relief for Serbia's population in its fight against privation and disease is being sent by the American Red Cross which has appropriated $200,000 and named a commission to go to that country to administer the fund and direct the work. The commission which will leave Saturday for Saloniki, its headquarters, is headed by Cordenio A. Severance, of St. Paul, as commissioner.

OFFICIAL DRAFTED; WIFE TAKES JOB

Jefferson City Mo., Aug. 29.—Mrs. Laura Stone of Cameron was appointed circuit clerk of Clinton county by Acting Governor Crossley, because her husband, A. E. Stone, called in the federal draft, has passed examination, been accepted and has tendered his resignation as circuit clerk.

THREW SELF UNDER TRAIN TO END LIFE

Burlington Ia., Aug. 29.—Charles Gilbert, Columbus Junction, Ia., committed suicide near here early today by hurling himself before Burlington mail train No. 8. Parts of the body were strewn along the tracks for blocks. Identification was made by notes addressed to "The finder of his body," and to relatives. His widow is a resident of Pioneer, Ohio.

DYSENTERY EPIDEMIC RAVAGING GERMANY

Berne, Aug. 29.—Germany is suffering from an almost nation-wide epidemic of dysentery.

German mortality rates have jumped from 50 to 100 per cent, since the first of the year. Tuberculosis is ravaging the people, due to their weakened condition through lack of proper food.

The German government is making frantic efforts to conceal the dysentery epidemic. All German cities have stopped publication of mortality statistics. The tuberculosis rate is said to have nearly doubled in the last few months.

Dysentery comes in part from lack of proper diet. It is in order to conceal this lack of food that the German government is making such extraordinary efforts to suppress all details of the epidemic.

RUSSIAN TROOPS FLEE IN DISORDER

Entire Division Abandon Positions on the Roumanian Front—Quiet in Other Fighting Sections.

Petrograd, Aug. 29.—A Russian division yesterday abandoned its position in the region of Fokshani, on the Roumanian front, and fled in disorder, the war office announces.

The statement says that the enemy continued to advance all day yesterday on the southern Roumanian front, reaching the line Trechty-Dens-Varnitza-Fitioneshti-Chyloiantichi. In the night Russian positions in the region of Varnitza were penetrated.

BRITISH RAIDS SUCCESS.

London, Aug. 29.—"During the night we carried out successful raids northeast of Gouzeaucourt and northwest of Hulluch and captured a few prisoners," says today's official announcement. "Southeast of Langemarcke our troops cleared up a strong point in which the enemy party was holding out immediately in front of our new line."

CLAIM BRITISH ROUTED.

Berlin, Aug. 29.—Via London.—German counter-attacks yesterday drove the British from the indentation they had made in the German positions northeast of Frezenberg, on the Flanders front, army headquarters announced today.

CHEERED WILSON'S NOTE.

Paris, Aug. 29.—A Havas dispatch from Moscow says that after Premier Kerensky had read President Wilson's message of greeting to the national conference, he said he had instructed the minister of foreign affairs, M. Terestchenko, to inform the American ambassador, David R. Francis, of the feelings of gratitude which the president's telegram had inspired among the delegates to the conference. This statement of the Premier was cheered enthusiastically.

GERMANS REPORT 600 PRISONERS TAKEN

Berlin, Aug. 29.—Via London.—In the Oituz valley region on the Roumanian front, Teutonic forces stormed hill positions yesterday, says today's army headquarters announcement. More than 600 prisoners were taken.

Field Marshal Von Mackensen's forces, the announcement also states, captured the village of Muncelul and pushed back the opposing forces in a northwesterly direction past several positions on both sides of the Suchitza valley. Prisoners to the number of 1,000 and three guns were taken.

Italians Push On

Rome, Aug. 29.—The Italian troops, pushing forward on the Bainsizza plateau, have reached a powerful Austrian defensive line and are now attacking it, the war office announces. On the heights beyond Gorizia the Italians made gains.

SMOKE BOMBS HELP ROUT U-BOAT

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Aug. 29.—Passengers arriving yesterday on a French steamship told of a two hours' running fight with a submarine in which the new smoke bombs, which shroud vessels with a cloud of dense smoke, were used as one means of defence.

The liner was attacked by a submarine at 9:45 a. m. on Aug. 20 just outside the Bay of Biscay. The ship at once began to zigzag and the gun crew fired several shots at the submarine, which was easily seen from the deck of the liner until the smoke bombs were released.

Passengers report that the new smoke contrivance, which was effective, looks like huge cheese boxes swung on the sides of the ship. As soon as the bombs are dropped from these boxes the ship is enveloped in clouds of smoke.

TWO ATLANTA BOYS SMOTHER TO DEATH

Atlanta, Aug. 29.—Carroll and Louis Winkler, sons of Mr. and Mrs George Winkler, met death shortly after noon Tuesday at the Hawes elevator on the Chicago & Alton tracks, when they got into a wheat bin, which was being emptied into a car, and were smothered. They had been playing about the elevator, where their father was at work, and were not missed until their cries were heard by C. M. Banks, C. & A. freight agent, from his office a short distance away. The noise of the machinery and the moving grain made it impossible for those about the elevator to hear them. The moving grain was shut off as soon as possible and the boys extricated from their position, but in spite of heroic work by attending physicians, respiration could not be started. Carroll was 12 years of age, and Louis about 7. They are survived by their parents and one sister, Nellie.

War News Summary

While Russian leaders are debating at Moscow with divided opinions as to the best steps to take for saving the country from threatened disaster within and without, the Russian armies continue to show perilous weakness at critical points.

The latest break in the line through dissatisfaction among the troops occurred on the southern Roumanian front, where the Austro-German armies are menacing Moldavia with the fate of Wallachia, overrun in the great Teutonic-Bulgaria drive of last year.

In the Fokshani region a Russian division abandoned its positions and fled in disorder. This facilitated a Teutonic advance that continued all day yesterday on the southern Roumanian front, the Austro-German troops pushing northeastward toward the Ocna-Pantzin Railway. The lines were still yielding last night in the Varnitza region.

Stormy weather apparently is preventing any notable military activities on the Franco-Belgian front.

The British, after completing their successful operation of Monday near Langemarcke, in which they pushed forward a considerable distance along a front of more than a mile, contented themselves last night with clearing out a German advance position in front of the new British line.

Apparently there is also a halt in major activities along the French front in the Verdun region, and in the great campaign which General Cadorna is waging on the Isonza front against the Austrians.

Flies 920 Miles Without Stopping

Paris, France Aug. 29.—Captain Guilio Laureami, an aviator in the Italian army, has established a new world's long distance flying record by flying more than 900 miles without stopping, according to a dispatch to the Temps from Milan. The Italian flew from Turin to Naples and returned, a distance of 920 miles as the crow flies.

Captain Laureami used a new S. I. A. machine with a flat motor. He left Turin at 10:07 a. m., reached Naples at 12:30 p. m., flew over that city and was back in Turin at 5:40 p. m.

FOREST FIRES MOST SERIOUS IN YEARS

Washington, Aug. 29.—With forest fires reported due to incendiary origin, threatening valuable timber in the northwest intended to furnish airplane stock for the fighting forces of the United States and its allies, the Forest Service has suspended some of its operation to concentrate all available forces in fighting the flames.

Forest Service officials said today the situation was one of the most serious in years.

THE WEATHER

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours, ending at 7 p. m. Thursday: Partly cloudy and continued cool tonight, probably unsettled in southeast portion; Thursday fair and slightly warmer.

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—The weather map at 8 a.m. today, showed:

Canadian Northwest—Generally cloudy; 44 to 54 above. Winnipeg, .01.

Northwest—Generally Clear; 42 to 50 above. Heavy frost at Duluth.

West—Part cloudy; 48 to 64 above. Rainfall: Sioux City, raining, trace; Springfield, .06.

Southwest—Generally cloudy; Columbia, .04; Kansas City, .04; St. Louis, .20, raining; Oklahoma City, .26; Springfield, Mo., .64.

Ohio Valley—Part cloudy; 54 to 64 above. Indianapolis, .50; Cincinnati, .04; Cairo, .15.

IN IOWA AND ILLINOIS.

Weather conditions in Iowa and Illinois cities at 11 a.m. today:

Decatur—Cloudy; 64.
Clinton, Ia.—Clear; 80.
Aurora—Cloudy; 72.
Rock Island—Clear; 70.
Davenport, Ia.—Clear; 76.
Moline—Clear; 72.
Muscatine, Ia.—Part cloudy; 70.
Ottumwa, Ia.—Clear; 75.
Burlington, Ia.—Clear; 78.
Bloomington—Cloudy; 72.
Springfield—Cloudy; 70.
Danville—Cloudy; 72.
Peoria—Cloudy; 66.
Dubuque, Ia.—Clear; 68.
Quincy—Part cloudy; 76.
Champaign—Cloudy; 66.
Waterloo, Ia.—Clear; 70.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradt, United States weather observer:

7 p.m. Tuesday	62
7 a.m. Wednesday	58
Noon Wednesday	68
Highest Tuesday	66
Lowest Wednesday	57
Precipitation	.06
Sun rises (Standard time)	5:24
Sun sets	6:38

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FLAG RAISING IN BEMENT ON SEPT. 4

Bement, Aug. 29.—The citizens of Bement have decided to have a flag raising and patriotic exercise, Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 4, at 2:30 o'clock. The exercise will consist of the flag raising at the school house, patriotic songs by the school children, and an address by Charles Adkins, director of agriculture. The program at the school house will be followed by exercises at the postoffice where a flag will be raised and an address will be given by Judge F. M. Shankwiler of Monticello.

The committee on arrangements has been named and they extend the following invitation on behalf of the community:

The citizens of Bement and vicinity invite the veterans of the civil and Spanish wars and all the young men of the community who registered at the June, 1917, registration as their guests of honor to attend the patriotic exercises to be held at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, Sept. 4, at the school house at Bement. These exercises will be followed by the exercises at the postoffice. Addresses will be made by Hon. Charles Adkins and Judge F. M. Shankwiler.

GEO. M. THOMPSON,
R. M. FLEMING,
OTTO WEEDMAN,
Committee.

Every person of the community is urged to be present at these exercises.

Mrs Hurley Peck and children of Atkin on, who are guests of Mr and Mrs. J. F. Sprague, will return home Thursday.

Mrs. Lora Nicholson of Decatur returned home Saturday after a visit to her cousin, Mrs. J. F. Sprague.

Mrs. Bert Shepherd died at 8 30 o'clock Monday evening of tuberculosis. Funeral services were held at the residence of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ross Peck, at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Rev D. M. Durham conducted the services.

Helen Phares of Clinton, and Allen Hilt of Maroa, who were guests of Faye Creel, have returned to their homes.

G. W. Lenschke and family are moving this week from Cerro Gordo to Mrs Curry's house in the southeast part of town. Mr Lenschke is proprietor of the Bement bakery.

Mrs W F Comleas of Monticello visited Mrs E. E Householder and family Sunday.

Misses Anna and Gussie Braithwaite of Sadorus were guests of Miss Eva Householder Monday.

The Women's Guild made about $90 at the ice cream social Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs Richard Dixon, Mr. and Mrs John Hurtt of Decatur; Mrs Lydia Hurtt and Miss Mabel Locher of Cerro Gordo were guests at W. W. Body's Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Knapp returned Sunday from a visit at C. W. Pitt's home, near Monticello.

Thomas Stone and Miss Helen Talbott were married at the Christian parsonage at 8 o'clock Thursday evening by Rev. D. M. Durham.

Mrs. Stone is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Talbott of Dix. Mr. Stone is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stone of Bement.

Don Robinson has returned to Oak Park after a visit at C M. Burgess' home.

Emil Wittenbink of Centralia was a week-end guest at the home of Mrs J M. Stone.

Richard Bradley, agent for The Review in Bement, and the carriers, Lovell Neil, Millard Fairbanks, Tommy Gardner and Teddy Reeder, were guests of The Review in Decatur on Tuesday.

The first number of the entertainment course will be given Monday evening, Sept. 3, by the Morrow Bros. quartet.

Dr A. Field, who went to Fort Riley Kas., Aug. 3, as first lieutenant O. R. C., has been made assistant regimental surgeon at Camp Dodge, Ia., near Des Moines.

A son was born Aug. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore of Stonington. Mr. Moore was formerly a resident of Bement.

Miss Nina Moore returned Tuesday from a visit to her brother, R. E. Moore and family, at Red Oak Ia.

MORRISONVILLE

C. B. Lloyd was in Assumption Friday.

Ira Vancil was in St. Louis Friday.

Will Debtay returned Friday from Decatur, where he was visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McLean and family and Mrs. J. R. Kinnes and baby, Mary Jane, left Friday for Sullivan, Mo., to visit Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Grundy.

Miss Frances Dowell is visiting relatives at Petersburg.

Mrs. Alberta Jones left Friday for Kingfisher, Okla., where she teaches school. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. A. Shrout, who will make a visit in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ben Wilnetz, Mrs. Louis Smith and Mrs. Harry Reardon were in Litchfield Friday visiting Mrs. Martha Laughlin.

Miss Ferne Lyman went to Farmersville Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyman.

Mr. and Mrs John Chaplin were in Springfield Saturday.

C. B. Lloyd went to Mowaqua Saturday.

Mrs. Louis Marsch is in Granite City visiting Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Craig.

Bruce Cassidy and Carl Virden returned Saturday from Peoria where they had been at work.

Mr. and Mrs Anson Freeman went to Decatur Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Freeman.

Mrs L. H. Monton and Mrs. Samuel Baisley were in Taylorville Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Woodward, Mrs. John Morris, Miss Zella Morris Miss Irene Grundy and C. W. Morris went to Mt. Pulaski Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Frank Carriff went to Edinburg Sunday to visit home folks.

Henry Smith was in Litchfield Sunday.

Roy Solander arrived Sunday from Owosso, Mich., for a visit with relatives.

Lewis Johnson and Miss Ida Johnson went to Carlinville Sunday.

Mrs. W. S. Sallenger and Mrs Floyd Guthrie were in Harvel Sunday visiting Miss Mollie Stuvey.

Miss Anna Stout returned to St Louis Sunday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. O. E. Stout.

Mr. and Mrs John Munstermann were here from Granite City Sunday visiting Mrs. A. Munstermann.

Mrs. John Zimmerman of Harvel, was here Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Klingler.

Mr. and Mrs Alfred Swinger, Mr. and Mrs. Harvel Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. Arza Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. John Haywood, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Springgate, Miss Elizabeth Sloman, Miss Maude Springgate went to Alexander Sunday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Vasey.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Akins went to St. Louis Sunday for a few days' stay.

Miss Jane Carey is visiting relatives and friends in Taylorville.

James Noonan returned Sunday from Lovington.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wilson spent Sunday in Gillard with relatives.

J. R. Kinney of Pasadena, spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kinney.

Miss Catherine Murphy arived Sunday from Indianapolis, Ind., to visit her mother, Mrs. Margaret Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Tomlinson returned to St. Louis Sunday after a visit here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs T. B. Pearson and children returned Sunday from their trip to West Baden, Ind.

Randolph Pence went to St. Louis Monday, where he joined the marines.

Rev. T. E. Cusack went to Quincy Monday where he will spend the week.

Mr. and Mrs Frank Wilson and children of Farmersville, were here Monday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keimel.

Mrs. G. W. Wharton and son George, left Monday for their home in Springfield, Mo., after spending the summer here.

Dr. A. T. Gibson was in St. Louis Monday and Tuesday.

SELL BROOMCORN FOR $312.50 A TON

Arcola, Aug. 28. — Three Arcola growers sold their broomcorn crops today, the first sales reported in the Central Illinois field this year. The prices ranked from $300 to $312.50 per ton. This opening market is higher than ever before in the Central Illinois district and yet it is over $100 per ton lower than was paid for 1917 brush in the Lindsay, Okla., district.

The sales reported were: Hiram Roberts, 60 acres at $300 per ton with proportion of the expense of harvesting to be paid by the purchaser; a broom manufacturer. John S. Quirk and tenant, crop of 24 acres at $312.50 per ton; purchased by Charles Taylor, of Tuscola. Spencer Evans' crop of 40 acres at $313 per ton. None of these crops have been harvested yet. The Roberts and Evans crops were partially cut Monday, but the rains Monday night stopped the cutting.

WIND DAMAGES CROP.

Wind accompanying a rain storm at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning damaged the crop, blowing down and twisting the broomcorn badly, particularly in the fields south and east of Arcola.

There is a plentiful supply of labor here and broomcorn hands are being paid $2 per day and board; the same prices that were paid last year However, only a very few of the crops are ready for cutting and will not be before next week. Growers fear there will be a scarcity of help by that time.

CUNNINGHAM-NEWPORT.

Dr. Charles Cunningham, of Villa Grove, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Cunningham, of this city, and Miss Nellie Newport, of Kenga, were married at St John's Catholic church in this city at 8 o'clock Saturday morning and are now in Chicago spending their honeymoon. After their return they will reside at Villa Grove.

Dr. Cunningham is an osteopath physician in Villa Grove. His bride was employed as a school teacher there.

NAVAL RECRUITS HOME

Harry Ghere, Homer Goodwin, and Marvin Aldrich, recruits at Great Lakes training camp, visited with Arcola relatives and friends Sunday. The boys were expecting to leave Great Lakes today, being among a large number of recruits who are to be assigned to ships.

SNOW FUNERAL IN MOWEAQUA

Moweaqua, Aug. 29.—E. C. Snow of Bloomington died in the Presbyterian hospital in Chicago at an early hour Sunday morning. The body was brought to Moweaqua Sunday night and brief services were held at the residence of his sister, Mrs. V. Snyder, on Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Whallon and Rev. Young. Interment was made in the West Side cemetery.

Those attending Mr. Snow's funeral from a distance were B. F. Brooks and family and Syd Deadman of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Chicago; Mrs. Porter of Farmer City; Mr. Hudson, Mr Shanks of Bloomington, and Will Snow of Wichita, Kas.

Miss Glyde Winchell, who has been spending the summer in Muskagon, Mich., came to Moweaqua Friday night for a brief visit with the B. F. Hudson family before resuming her school duties in Normal.

Mrs Dudley Porter was in Chicago Friday.

Mrs J. L. Sparkling returned Friday night from a month's visit in Michigan, Chicago and Indiana.

Mrs Ralph Ayars entertained the Whallon family at dinner Saturday.

The O. L. Scribner family is spending the week with Mrs. Scribner's mother Mrs Adam Snyder.

Misses Belle and Mattie McHenry spent Sunday in Waynesville.

Freeman Goodwin of Homer spent the week-end with Miss Glyde Winchell.

Ralph Snyder went to Chicago on Sunday to accompany Mrs. E. C. Snow to Moweaqua Sunday night.

Misses Virginia and Bernadine Piper are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Duckwall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Whallon and son, Edward, who have been spending the month of August here, leave tomorrow in their automobile for their home in Zanesville, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Tetty of Ohio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hedges and family on Monday.

Robert Wykoff came Saturday evening. He is the superintendent of the public schools here.

A number of the Moweaqua boys who are members of Company C, Fourth regiment, spent Sunday here.

KIRBY FUNERAL AT ASSUMPTION

Assumption, Aug. 29.—The funeral of Mrs. Rose Kirby was held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Mary's Catholic church, Rev. Joseph Dechene officiating.

Three granddaughters, Miss Anna Kirby, Miss Helen Lawlis and Miss Catharine Watson were the flower girls. The pallbearers were: Taylor Durham, James Jackson, Joseph Malhoit, John Debrun, Cornelius Connor and Dennis Keating. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

Relatives from a distance in attendance were: Mrs. Belle Watson and daughter Catharine of Bloomington; Mrs. Winnie Fitzgerald and John Kirby of Denver.

John Moran is very ill at his home in this city following a slight stroke of paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brule have returned home after spending six weeks visiting the place of their birth and other cities in Canada.

Miss Mildred Murphy attended teacher's meeting in Taylorville last week.

Irving and H. L. Cushing of Decatur came Saturday for a visit with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuhle, Jr., of Bloomington made a short visit with relatives here Saturday while motoring through this city on their way to Pana for an over Sunday visit with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kuhle.

The funeral of Mrs. E. Howard was held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Baptist church. Rev. R. E. Hanley officiating. Out of town friends in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tobias and family of Bloomington Mr. and Mrs. Jess Beeman of Rockford, H. L. and Irving Cushing of Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tripp visited friends in Macon last week.

Miss Gussie Van Zant of Decatur spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Reber.

Miss Marion McDaniel has returned home after a visit with friends in Decatur.

Miss Charlotte Baxmeyer of this city has been employed as science teacher in the high school. Miss Baxmeyer is a graduate of the local high school and also of the James Millikin University of Decatur and is well qualified for the position. She spent the past two years teaching in Decatur.

Miss Marjorie Lloyd of Kansas City has been selected to fill the position of music teacher in the grade schools.

Miss Bertha Moran spent Thursday with friends in Decatur.

With the threshing only about half completed, this vicinity has been visited by almost continuous rains. Tuesday morning one of the heaviest rains of the season fell. It was accompanied by a severe electrical storm and a high wind. The wheat and oats crops are in danger of danger of sprouting in the fields. Nearly all the fall plowing has been done.

Ray Higginbotham of Detroit is visiting relatives here.

Guss Kuhle was in Pana Saturday.

Miss Stella Tober spent the latter part of the week in the country visiting her sister Mrs. Cecelia Kemmerer.

Attend Wood River Meeting.

Rev. J. A. Crockett, pastor of the Antioch Baptist church and Mrs Mollie Mettock and Mrs. Anna Tallaferro went to Bloomington yesterday to attend the seventy-ninth annual session of the Wood River Baptist association, which is being held at Mt. Pisgah Baptist church in that city.

The meeting opened Monday with the session of Woman's Missionary and Educational association. A hundred delegates attended the opening session. The convention continues until Friday night.

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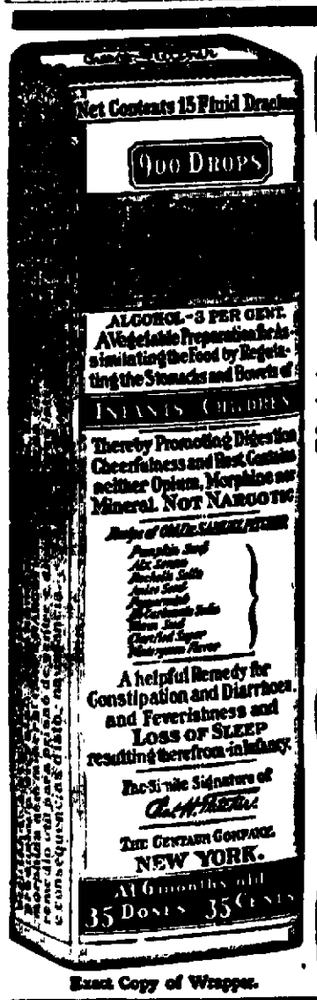

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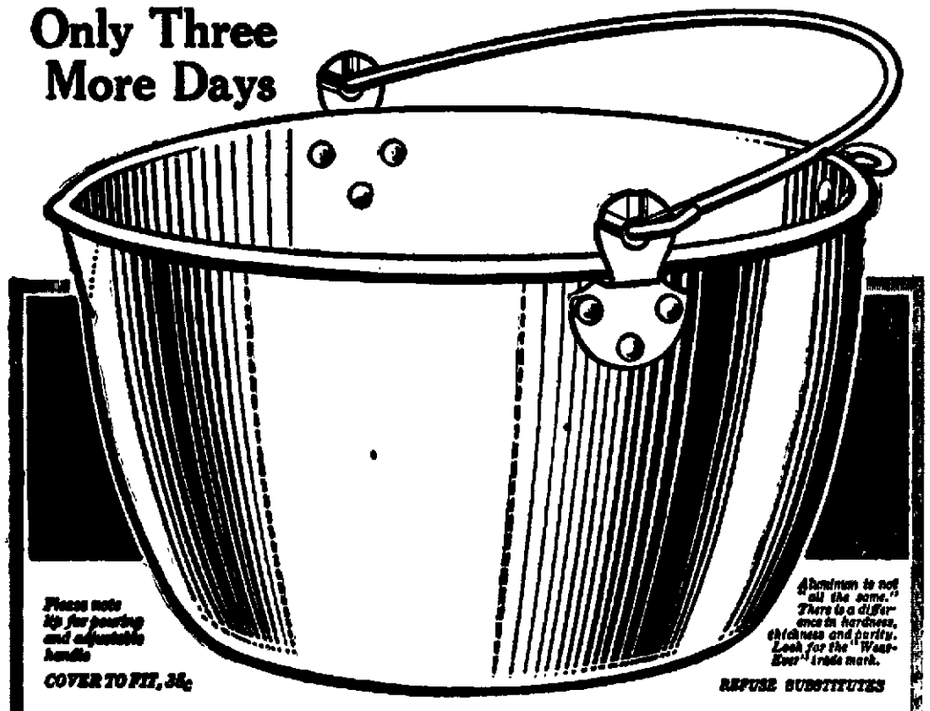

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Thursday Forenoon Specials

$4 Low Shoes Going For $1

About two dozen pairs of women's low shoes, mostly this summer's styles, in pumps and strap slippers. Included are patents, white cloth and black satin models. They mostly are in the smaller sizes. Originally priced up to $4, Thursday forenoon, a pair—$1.

Women's $4 Shoes at $2.98

A lot of women's patent and dull kid cloth top shoes in button and lace styles. They have the medium high top and medium round toe with a medium high heel. Good $4 shoes Thursday forenoon—$2.98.

Lace Specials

Torchon laces, edges and insertings; 1 to 2½ inches wide; values up to 12½c; Thursday forenoon, a yard—5c.

Filet laces in all the newest patterns; recently designed patterns in laces with insertings to match; up to 4 inches wide; values as high as 35c; Thursday forenoon, a yard—18c.

One lot containing imitation Cluny lace, beadings, edges and insertings; regular 10c value; Thursday forenoon, a yard—6¼c.

Hair Pins

"Jumbo" hair pin cabinets containing 360 assorted hair pins, special value, a cabinet—15c.

Girl's $5 and $6.50 Dresses go at $2.98

About a dozen smartly styled gingham frocks for junior misses', sizes 12, 14 and 16. They are in pink, green and blue ginghams, prettily trimmed with striped madras. Originally $5 and $6.50 frocks for—$2.98.

Misses' $1 and $1.25 Middies Going at 59c

A limited quantity of misses' middy blouses in size 14 only. They are made of a very fine quality material in white trimmed with blue and rose and in plain white. Those who wear a size 14 will get a very special value here. Thursday forenoon while they last—59c.

Children's Hats 19c

A lot of children's hats comprising girls' hats of white pique and boys' hats of straw. Included are hats that have been priced up to 75c; while they last Thursday forenoon, choice—19c.

Girls' Kimonos 39c

Prettily made kimonos of light weight crepe for summer wear. They may be had in blue, pink and flowered patterns. Originally sold for 75c, Thursday forenoon while they last—39c.

85c, $1 and $1.25 Wash Suitings, a Yard--59c

A quantity of white wash suitings, comprising such popular qualities as fancy white piques, white gabardines and white corduroys. These materials have been 85c, $1 and $1.25; Thursday forenoon, a yard—59c.

A Stewart Phonograph & 20 Emerson Records-$8.48

Hear the Stewart Phonograph demonstrated in the Basement. See how successfully it plays other makes of records. Hear the Emerson talent—then you can appreciate this offer.

Ball Mason's Jars

Half-gallon size Ball Mason's fruit jars. Thursday forenoon special, a dozen—73c.

Jelly Glasses 33c

Tin Top Jelly Glasses in fluted design, Thursday forenoon special, a dozen—33c.

Fruit Jar Caps

Boyd Mason's fruit jar caps, Thursday forenoon special, a dozen—25c.

Aluminum Kettles

Good quality aluminum kettles in eight-quart size, Thursday forenoon special —98c.

Soap Special

Santa Claus Soap, the well known and justly popular brand of soap, Thursday forenoon—6 bars—25c.
(Limit of 6 Bars).

Soap Special

Fairy Soap, a much liked Soap for general toilet uses; now rather hard to get. Thursday forenoon, a cake—5c.
(Limit of 5 Bars).

$1 Dolls, 79c

Character Dolls, nicely dressed dolls, 11 inches high; sleeping eyes; a doll that usually sells for $1, Thursday forenoon—79c.

Curtain Rods

25c Flat Sagless curtain rods, Thursday forenoon, each—10c.

Linoleums

85c felt Linoleum Thursday forenoon special, a square yard—49c.

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It is best to have a correctly fitted corset before attempting to have a costume correctly fitted. So, 'tis well to get the Gossard, then get the gown or suit.

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This special tailor-made skirt offer expires with the expiration of August.

No more skirts made for this small price after Friday, August 31st. Orders will be taken up to closing time Friday evening—then no more for $1.

While this special offer is in effect we will tailor to individual order and measurements a wool skirt from any skirting materials you may select here.

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When you stop to consider that the simple process of rubbing a little Ice Mint on the foot at night will shortly rid one of every painful corn or callus and keep the feet cool, comfortable and free from the "doctor" days it is easy to understand why it is thought that foot troubles will soon be a thing of the past. Ice-Mint is an entirely new departure on the dreadable old time foot remedies, inasmuch as it is absolutely harmless and comes in the form of a snow white creamy preparation, which is delightful to apply. It costs little and can be had here from any of our local dealers.

Methodist Ministers Asked to Return

REV. N. M. RIGG.
Pastor of Grace Methodist.

REV. F. A. HAVIGHURST.
Pastor of First Methodist Church.

PROSPEROUS YEAR AT 1ST METHODIST

Rev. F. A. Havighurst is Asked to Return.

Request for the return of Rev. F. A. Havighurst, as pastor, was made in the fourth quarterly conference of the First Methodist church Monday night, and resolutions were passed commending not only his work but also that of Rev. E. L. Shaver, the educational director, Mrs. H. B. Wise the church visitor, and Rev. M. N. English, the district superintendent.

The past year has been a most prosperous one for the church. An increase has been noted in all departments of work and the church work in general is in splendid condition. Besides the report made by the pastor, there were reports by Rev. E. L. Shaver for the Sunday school, Mrs. C. A. Imboden, for the W. F. M. S., Jean Boardman, for the Epworth League Mrs. Anna Conklin for the W. H. M. S., and Mrs. Della Gushard for the Ladies' Aid society.

UNION CAMPAIGN.

Plans for a union Methodist evangelist campaign were adopted, but no definite arrangements will be made until the matter is voted on favorably by the other Methodist churches of the city. It is the plan to have the special campaign sometime this fall or winter.

The conference approved the plan to secure an assistant pastor for the coming year. No selection has yet been made as to who it will be. There was also action to the effect that the church contribute $400 to the support of Sargent chapel the coming year.

Practically every member of the board attended the meeting Tuesday night, and much routine business was transacted. The report of the pastor was of unusual interest. It is given in part below:

EVENTFUL YEAR.

"The year just closing has been an eventful one for both church and nation. There have been times of uncertainty and anxiety but our great church membership has responded loyally and liberally at the nation's call for every need and has also fully sustained its own work at its former record of high efficiency. The year has been one of untiring labor on the part of a host of earnest faithful workers. I desire at once to express my own high appreciation of the devoted and efficient assistance of Rev. E. L. Shaver our educational director, and Mrs. H. B. Wise, our church visitor.

"The work of the several departments while not spectacular, shows an encouraging advance. The Sunday school has had high aims and meritorious plans and they have been carried out with satisfactory results. The average attendance for the year is 816. There is a gain in every department except in the adult department, where there is something of a loss. The Epworth league has had an exceptionally good year with a fine increase in membership, attendance, interest and benevolent offerings. The Woman's Home Missionary society and their related organizations have all closed the year showing an excellent advance. The Ladies' Aid society without reporting to money making methods, have raised $232.03 and have contributed a part of this money to the Sunday school and served the church in many ways.

"During the year, 97 persons have been received into Preparatory membership and from Preparatory membership into full memborship, 96. From other Methodist churches, 146 have come to us by letter and 8 have come from other denominations. The total received into full membership (no name counted twice) is 236. We have lost by letter 41 by withdrawal 3, by death 20—a total of 64. The net gain in membership is 166.

"We have gone over our membership record and discover that 369 of those we have in former years included in our membership reports have been out of the city so long and their residence unknown, that revised statement of our membership seems wise. Subtracting this number we more accurately report a membership of 2,073 and in this number are still included 161 whose residence is outside of Decatur. We also find a large number of those carried as Preparatory members are out of the city and report only 113. Of these 81 are baptized children.

"I add the following statistical items:

Number of funerals	56
Number of weddings	98
Number of baptisms	64
Number of pastorial calls made	1423

"I conclude this report with a grateful acknowledgment of the cordial co-operation of our church membership in the varied activities of our great and beloved church."

DUG A TUNEL UNDER PAVEMENT

The business of locating leaks in steam mains has kept employes of the Decatur Railway and Light company busy for the past three weeks. In front of the Time Block on Water street a big hole was cut in the brand new pavement and a big leak was found there. Workmen cut off the section of pipe containing the leak and put in a new section. In the meantime, two other leaks were found on North Main street, at the intersection of North street, one on each side of the car track. This necessitated the cutting of two big holes in the new pavement on North Main street, and a tunnel was dug from one hole to the other and new steam pipe put in. Now in order to get the earth back it is necessary to throw in a little at a time and tamp it from both ends of the tunnel.

The pile of dirt on the east side of the track in Main street creates a dangerous condition at the intersection. Although space is left for northbound traffic to pass around on the east side of the pile, many motorists turn to the left, which takes them to the west side of the car track, and there came near being a collision there Monday

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Every good bread-maker may enter. No fee.

Only bread baked from ZEPHYR FLOUR is eligible to compete and all entries must be accompanied by grocery slip showing purchase of a sack of ZEPHYR. Entries must be in place *in the ZEPHYR booth* not later than 2 o'clock Tuesday, September, 11. Bread will be scored by the regular fair judge.

Plan to bring a prize loaf to the fair. Make your baking skill supply the family flour for a whole year.

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Mowequa—Hedges & Co.
Mt. Zion—Smith & Son.
Milmine—T. O. Holcomb.
Murdock—Jobe & Co.
Newman—Brown & Duvall.
Oakley—C. Holcomb.
Oreana—J. G. Oldweiler.
Osbernville—Brower & Son.
Obed—Weakley's.
Pana—Eilers & Johnson.
Stonington—Ray & Son.
Sullivan—R. M. Magill.
Tower Hill—Wilkinson & Son.

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You apply just a few drops on the tender aching corn and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn is so shriveled that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining tissue.

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BACK FROM 1,500 MILE AUTO TRIP

Max Swarthout and Family Reach Decatur.

THE VOORHIES PARTY

22 Women Guests at Country Club Luncheon.

AFTER a delightful 1,500-mile trip through northern Illinois and Wisconsin, Max L. Swarthout and family have returned from their vacation trip through the north. The party left Decatur immediately following the close of the summer term and drove north to Paw Paw, Ill., where they were joined by Mr. Swarthout's mother, Mrs. Ella Swarthout after a short visit.

From Paw Paw they drove north through Illinois and north in Wisconsin through Fon Du Lac and along the east shore of Lake Winnebago, stopping for short visits at Green Bay and Sturgeon Bay, before going on to Shawano, where the party stayed for two weeks. Returning, they came through Wisconsin, visiting the following towns: Oshkosh, Apperson, Baraboo and Kilbourn, and also taking the Dells trip. They crossed into Illinois at Devil's Lake and rapidly drove southward. The party encountered all varieties of roads, but in the main they were good.

Donald M. Swarthout and family also returned Sunday afternoon after a very delightful vacation, which they spent near St. Charles Ia. They went north for a brief visit with relatives at the close of the summer term at the conservatory and left for Cedar Rapids, Ia., where they visited friends, before going to Charles City. They spent their vacation camping in a cottage on the banks of the Charles river, and returned to Decatur at practically the same time that Max L. Swarthout did.

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NEARLY every man one sees in Canada is in a uniform, but many of the uniforms are not new, and show that they have seen service, and often the wearer is just recovering from a wound. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Miller and family have just returned from a motor trip to Canada and these soldiers made a lasting impression upon their minds. The country is full of war-talk and every recruiting officer seemed bent upon taking Kenneth Miller into the Canadian army.

The Millers left Decatur over two weeks ago, going first to Indiana, where they visited, among other places Ft. Benjamin Harrison. They then went to Toledo, Columbus and Sandusky, Ohio, and then to Detroit. After their visit in Canada, they made several stops in Michigan and returned through Gary and Chicago, with a short visit to Ft. Sheridan.

In the two weeks that they were gone, the Millers made over 1700 miles in their car, and during the entire trip they had not the slightest trouble. Even the roads were ideal until Joliet was reached on the return trip. From there on to Decatur the recent rains had made the roads muddy.

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MANY people have been interested in the announcement of the return of the MacMillan Arctic expedition a few days ago. It will be remembered that before the expedition started a number of years ago, announcement was made of the engagement of Miss Augusta Krieger and Elmer Ekblaw, one of the members of the exploration party. Miss Krieger, who formerly taught in the Decatur high school and who has many friends here, has had a long wait for the return of her fiance. Both Miss Krieger and Mr. Ekblaw are graduates of the University of Illinois.

In a telegram to the American Museum of Natural History, Donald B. MacMillan described his trip into the north. He tells of the discovery of two islands and of a glacier second in size to the Humbolt.

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Miss Marguerite Shafer and Miss Mary Godwin returned Tuesday from a week-end visit with Miss Alice Herren, in Filmore.

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Miss Ruth Lavery returned Monday night from a six weeks' visit in Montana. While there she visited at the John L. Waddell home at Hardin, and also was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Dillavou at Billings. With the Waddells she made a trip through Yellowstone park.

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Mrs. W. R. Easick and Mrs. O. G. Collins entertained with an informal luncheon Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. C. A. Dillehunt, of Needles, Cal., who is visiting in Decatur. Garden flowers adorned the tables. Following the luncheon bridge was played by the sixteen guests.

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TWENTY-TWO women were guests of Mrs. Ida C. Voorhies at the golf luncheon at the Country club this afternoon, complimenting Mrs. Voorhies' guest, Mrs. Amedee Tete of New Orleans.

Other out-of-town guests besides Mrs. Tete, were Miss Bertha Randall of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mrs. Sellie Thomas Smith, of New Orleans, and Mrs. J. A. Corbett, of Kansas City.

Mrs. Corbett came to Decatur Tuesday evening, and is visiting Mrs. John L. Bennett.

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Mrs. R. McCalman, of Danville, will be over this evening to spend a few days with Mrs. Homer Ground.

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Mrs. Homer Ground was hostess to the Alpha Chi Omega alumnae club this afternoon at her home. After the regular business of the club, the time was passed in a social way. The hostess served light refreshments.

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About forty women were out for the weekly golf luncheon at the Country club this afternoon. The golf play arranged for this afternoon was to be a two-ball ladies' foursome, select drive.

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MRS. Mary L. Robertson gave a delightful dinner party this noon at the Fishing club for about twenty friends including six who came out from Decatur. The dinner was served at the club house where wild flowers added a pretty effect to the room. After the dinner most of the women worked on their fancywork.

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The "Yeller Shack" at the Fishing club, the cottage occupied by the E. F. Kuny family, will be the scene of a dinner party Thursday noon. Mrs. Kuny will have fifteen guests at the dinner. The table will be brightly arrayed with Goldenrod, black-eyed Susans, and pond lilies. After the dinner the women will sew.

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Miss Elva Hayes, of north of Decatur, is spending the week at the Fishing club with Miss Frances Kuny.

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Mrs. L. W. Karnes is spending a few days with Mrs. Eben McNabb at the Fishing club.

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TWENTY children had a merry time this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown, when their two children, Betty and Edward, entertained with a birthday party, the occasion being Master Edward's fourth birthday anniversary. The launching and catching of pretty white balloons, decorated with the flag, was one of the games of the afternoon which the little tots enjoyed. A handsome birthday cake featured the dainty luncheon which was served to the children.

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Miss Mary Hostetler had a few of the older Pi Phi girls in for an informal tea Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Harry Crea. They spent the afternoon knitting and sewing.

Mrs. Crea and her children will leave next week to join Captain Crea at Syracuse, N. Y. During her visit here Mrs. Crea has been a guest at many social events.

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County Clerk C. H. Patterson and wife arrived home Tuesday evening from their vacation trip to Houghton Lake, Mich. They have been away since Aug. 6. Mr. Patterson had good luck fishing. One morning he caught twenty-six fine fish.

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150 INVITATIONS POWERS WEDDING

Ceremony at Kenney Home on Sept. 12.

INVITATIONS are out today for the wedding of Miss Helen Kenney and John H. Powers, which will take place at the home of the bride's parents on Park Place, Wednesday, Sept. 12, at eight-thirty in the evening. There will be 150 guests many from out of town.

Miss Kenney is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kenney and graduated this year from Millikin University, where she is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority. Mr. Powers, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Powers, also took his degree from the University of Illinois in June. He is a member of the Illinois chapter of Alpha Tau Omega. Since his graduation he has been managing the Powers' farms near Decatur.

GIVE A PROGRAM FOR THE VISITORS

Anna B. Millikin Home Lads and Lassies Appear at Reception.

Children of the Anna B. Millikin home gave an interesting program of musical numbers and recitations for their visitors Tuesday evening, when members of the board of directors and trustees and their wives gathered at the home for the informal reception planned by the directors.

After the program the visitors were taken through the building and later to the dining room, where coffee and sandwiches were served. Asters decorated the room. The evening proved a pleasant one. In spite of the fact that some of the board members are out of town, there was a good attendance.

Busy Bee Class Meets.

The Busy Bee Sunday school class of the Third United Brethren church will meet at the home of Mrs. L. Welch, 1228 East Olive street, Friday evening. All members are urged to be present, as there will be election of officers.

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL WOODMAN PICNIC

Will Be Held at Illiopolis on Thursday, Aug. 30.

The sixteenth annual Woodman picnic will be held at Illiopolis on Thursday, Aug. 30. During the day there will be good horse races and a balloon ascension and various other amusements. At night there will be dancing. Everyone is invited out to spend the day.

Miss Grace Price Entertains.

Miss Grace Price, 326 South Franklin street, entertained a few friends at her home Friday evening, the occasion being her birthday, but later in the evening her approaching marriage was announced. She is to be married the latter part of September to John M. Garver.

The guests were seated at small tables and in the center of each table was a small crystal basket filled with pink roses. The place cards were hand painted on heart shaped cards and pink ribbons leading from these to the baskets were attached to other cards bearing the announcement. The ices were small brides and grooms.

Miss Price has until recently been employed by the Decatur Garment company and Mr. Garver is with Good Brothers. They will make their home in Decatur.

Mrs. Mary Conard Entertains.

Mrs. Mary Conard entertained her Sunday school class Tuesday with an all day quilting. Eight members and three visitors were present. A good dinner, including fried chicken and other good things to eat, was served. The place for the next meeting has not yet been decided.

SMALL PACKAGE, SMALL CHANGE

Increase in Prices Carries Up the Prices of Tools.

"That's a nice size package to carry away," said a hardware clerk as he handed a customer a parcel which could almost be put into a vest pocket. The customer got back eighty cents in change from a five dollar bill. The customer was a machinist from the Mueller factory and the package contained two pairs of dividers and a depth gauge. Formerly these tools were sold at 20 per cent off list. Now they are sold for fifteen per cent on.

RECORD REUNION HELD IN INDIANA

John A. Record and Rev. Charles F. Record to Attend.

John A. Record of Decatur, and Rev. Charles F. Record, of Newman, will represent this section of the state at the third national reunion of the Record family which is to be held Wednesday at the country home of James O. Record at Edinburg, Ind. Members of the family are scattered all over the United States. It is expected there will be a large attendance at the reunion this year as so many of the members of the family are getting old, and many of the young men are going to war.

WHITE BRICK BAND STAND

Lincoln, Aug. 29.—The first stake was driven Tuesday for the new band stand for Latham park by County Surveyor E. J. Tobin.

"The new stand will add 100 per cent to the beauty of Latham park," Lynn R. Parker of the Commercial club, said. It will be placed in the very center of the park and surrounded by a cement walk.

The stand will be built of white brick, built on a 25- foot octagonal plan. The structure will be 30 feet in height, with roof of tile, and an entablature of wood and stucco.

GREAT REJOICING BY RHEUMATIC CRIPPLES

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If you want relief in two days, swift, certain, gratifying relief take a small dose of Rheuma once a day.

If you want to dissolve every particle of uric acid poison in your body and drive it out through the natural channels so that you will be forever free from rheumatism, get a bottle of Rheuma from Decatur Drug Co., or any druggist at once. It must give the joyful relief expected or money refunded.

Rheumatism is a powerful disease strongly entrenched in joints and muscles. In order to conquer it a powerful enemy must be sent against it. Rheuma is the enemy of rheumatism—an enemy that conquers it in nearly every instance.

Judge John Barhorst, of Ft. Loramie, Ohio knows it. He was walking with crutches; today he is well. It should do as much for you; it seldom fails.

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--For Boys and Girls

Decatur Schools Open Sept. 10th

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—The advantages of buying school shoes at Folrath's are several, one of the most being that of FOLRATH SERVICE, which sees that no child's foot is ever carelessly or inaccurately fitted.

For the Boys:

—Our well known, time-tested Boy Scout dress shoes; skilfully made of the best grades of calfskin; in wide toe and English lasts like young men wear; with soles of leather or Neolin.

—Little Gents' sizes, 10 to 13½, priced at **$2.50, $3 & $3.50**

—Boys' sizes from 1 to 6, are priced **$3, $4 & $5**

—BOY SCOUT ELKSKIN SHOES: No "wear-out" to these shoes; made of tough, pliable, black and tan Elkskin with Elk soles. Sizes 10 to 13½, $2.75; sizes 1 to 2, $3.25; sizes 2½ to 6, $3.50.

For the Girls:

—A great number of attractive laced and buttoned patterns; carefully made of patent leathers and dull black calfskin; most of them modeled over the Nature Form Last. Neolin and leather soles.

—For Children, 8½ to 11 sizes; excellent values at $2.25, $2.50, $3 and $3.50.

—For misses, wearing sizes 11½ to 2, the prices are $2.50, $3, $3.50, $4, $4.50.

—For larger girls wearing sizes 2½ to 6; low heel English styles and broad toe lasts; priced $3.50, $4, $5 and $6.

Folrath & Folrath

Any Summer Hat—Trimmed or Untrimmed, for 50c

The Wm Gushard Dry Goods Co

The Last Half-Holiday of The Summer Comes Tomorrow. Shop Here before Noon

THERE will be plenty of special bargain features here to make it a very profitable morning for every shopper who enters our store. Every department on every floor will be closing odd lots of merchandise with prices at the minimum.

$15 WASH DRESSES,—$5

OUR garment section has about 25 new and dainty wash dresses to close out tomorrow before noon. Both white and colored dresses are included, being about equally divided. They are all new, attractive models in sizes from Misses 16 to 38 inclusive. You will find many very pretty ginghams among the colored dresses. Come take choice of these $10 to $15 models for a half day, at

$5.00

COME IN THE MORNING FOR

Blankets, Bed Spreads, Crash and Muslins

15c Bleached Muslin, 12½c.

A good quality full bleached, 36-inch muslin of a medium weight. A 15c value, on sale Thursday forenoon, at yard ... **12½c**

Unbleached Crash at 10c.

Good weight and quality of unbleached crash, that is an excellent value for the price, at a yard **10c**

$4.75 Spreads at $3.59.

13-4 size satin Marseilles spreads of a good weight and quality. They come with embroidered edge and cut corners for the large double beds; a $4.75 value on sale for Thursday morning only, at each .. **$3.59**

$3.00 Woolnap Blankets at $2.19.

Large, double bed size Woolnap Blankets in tan color, with dainty colored borders. This blanket is of a good weight and is very durable. A $3.00 value, specially priced at each **$2.19**

MANY MORNING BARGAINS IN

Staple Notions

Dustless Dust Cloths, antiseptic, 19c value, Special **15c**

Whisk Brooms, extra value at **25c**

Children's Velvet Grip Hose Supporters, in black and white. Values up to 25c. Thursday morning **10c**

Dress Fasteners, by the yard, in black and white, at per yard **15c**

Bias Lawn Tape, in assorted widths, a 10c value. Special **5c**

Finishing Braid in white and colors, bolt **10c**

Nye's Sewing Machine Oil, a 15c value, at **9c**

Mothers Ironing Wax, 10c value, special **5c**

Lingerie Tape, in pink, blue and white, fast colors, a good value at **5c**

Sanitary Belts, 25c value, at **19c**

Sanitary Aprons, 35c value, special **25c**

Sanitary Napkins, a dozen in box, 35c value, at **29c**

Sanitary Napkins, 3 in a box, 15c value, at **10c**

Absorbent Cotton, especially prepared for surgical purposes, 10c value, at **8c**

Sterling Silver Thimbles, all sizes, 39c value, special **12c**

Basement Specials Tomorrow Morning

3 cup Egg Poachers for **15c**

Tin cans, a dozen **60c**

$1.00 Oil Mop with handle .. **55c**

New Perfect Fiber Broom .. **75c**

Alarm Clocks, one year guarantee **$1.25**

White Combinets at **$1.19**

Glass Wash Boards **35c**

Gas Ovens, each **$2.50**

Stone Jars, a gallon **12c**

Boyd Mason Fruit Jar Caps, a dozen **30c**

German China Cuspidors ... **33c**

20 qt. grey Granite Preserving Kettle **59c**

Mason Jars, a dozen quarts **65c**

Mason Jars, half-gallon, doz. **80c**

$1.60 Wear Ever Preserving Kettle **$1.19**

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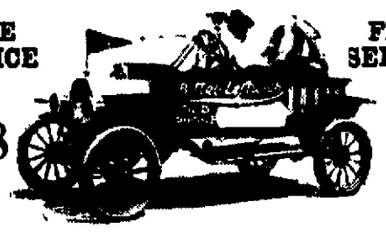
FREE SERVICE  FREE SERVICE

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SPORTS

WHITE SOX GAIN ON NEW YORK

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Chicago gained one-half a game on Boston yesterday by defeating New York in the final game, 4 to 3, making a clean sweep of the series, while Boston remained idle on account of rain at Detroit. Chicago now is three and one-half games ahead of Boston.

The feature of the game was a triple play which New York executed in the third inning. Williams walked and Leibold and McMullin singled, sending Williams home, and E. Collins laid down a bunt. Caldwell tried for a force out at third, but failed and the bases were filled. Jackson then lined to Baker who touched third doubling Leibold before he could get back to the bag and threw to Gedeon who touched second before McMullin could return to the base, and completed the triple play.

MISS HADFIELD, 17, IS GOLF WINNER

Chicago, Aug. 29.—A Wisconsin-Tennessee duel in which Miss Frances Hadfield, champion of the Badger state, defeated Mrs David Gaut, the Big Bend title holder, by 2 up, featured the first round of the Women's Western golf championship at the Flossmoor Country club yesterday.

Five other of the sixteen matches reached the home green and one went an extra hole, but the north and south battle excelled them in quality and in speed. Although Mrs. Gaut shot 87, three strokes over the women's record for the 6,189 yard course, and one stroke over par, it was not good enough to hold the 17-year-old Milwaukee player, who went out in 40 and come home in 46, playing par golf.

Her total of 86 was equaled by Miss Elaine Rosenthal of Davisloe, who had a card of 43-43-86, in defeating Miss Corella Lukens of Edgewater.

BAN JOHNSON BARS THE LICORICE BALL

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Pitchers in the American League, found guilty of using the "licorice" ball or otherwise discoloring it, will be automatically suspended for five days. President Johnson said yesterday. Warning to the umpires and managers was issued to enforce the rule against discoloration of the balls.

Progress of The Pennant Races

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose
New York	73	41	.640	.650	.611
Philadelphia	63	40	.570	.574	.565
St. Louis	64	57	.529	.532	.525
Cincinnati	66	61	.512	.516	.508
Cubs	62	61	.504	.508	.500
Brooklyn	57	60	.487	.492	.483
Boston	48	64	.429	.434	.425
Pittsburgh	38	80	.322	.328	.316

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose
White Sox	70	46	.672	.638	.721
Boston	71	47	.698	.642	.751
Cleveland	68	58	.540	.543	.537
Detroit	61	59	.520	.524	.516
New York	58	61	.471	.477	.466
Washington	54	65	.454	.458	.450
St. Louis	49	76	.392	[illegible]	.402
Philadelphia	41	75	.364	[illegible]	.358

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League.

St. Louis, 2 Philadelphia 1.
Chicago, 4, New York, 3.
Boston-Detroit game postponed, rain.
Washington Cleveland game postponed rain.

National League.

St Louis 6 Philadelphia 3.
New York, 7 Pittsburgh, 1.
Chicago, 2, Brooklyn, 0
Cincinnati, 9, Boston, 1

American Association.

Milwaukee 9 Louisville 6
Indianapolis, 6 Kansas City, 2
Other games played previously.

TODAY'S GAMES.

National League.

Pittsburgh at New York, cloudy, 3 30 p m
Chicago at Brooklyn cloudy, 3 p m
St. Louis at Philadelphia, cloudy, 3 30 p m
Cincinnati at Boston clear 3 15 p.m.

American League.

St. Louis at Chicago two games, cloudy, first game at 1 30 p.m
Detroit at Cleveland, cloudy; 3 p m.
No other games scheduled

American Association.

Milwaukee at Kansas City, two games cloudy; first game at 2 p m
St Paul at Minneapolis, two games, clear, first game at 2 p m
No other games scheduled

IMA JAY WINS POUGHKEEPSIE RACE

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Aug 29.—Ima Jay, the favorite, owned and driven by Harvey Ernest of Kamms, O., won the Poughkeepsie 2.11 trot for a purse of $3,000, the feature of opening day at the local grand circuit meeting yesterday.

All Traces of Scrofula Eradicated From the System

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A common mistake in the treatment of scrofula has been the use of mercury and other mineral mixtures, the effect of which is to bottle up the impurities in the blood, and hide them from the surface.

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SUPPLY LIST OF DRAFTED MEN

Men Who Will Act as the Alternates.

The city exemption board has announced an additional list of thirty-four men to be certified to the district board as qualified for army service. This is the list from which men will be taken to fill up any vacancies that may occur in the city's quota of 182 men. Some of these have been mentioned before. It is expected that some of the men in the first 182 will be exempted by the district board.

Some are married and it is felt pretty certain that nearly all married men will be exempted by the district board, even though they were accepted by the local board. Then there will probably be a few who will not be able to pass the rigid physical examination at the concentration camp.

SUPPLY LIST

The supply list is as follows

No
2681—Tom C. McNamara, 1428 N. Union
1598—Warren Cairns, 1102 S. Moffitt.
1752—Louis R. Collins, 1511 N. College.
2061—Henry G. Pannek, 829 N. Charles
3188—Andrew L. Roberts 1724 N. Morgan
3138—Charles N. Moore, 404 E. Division
1755—Michael H. Semelka, 1527 E. William
2584—Roy C. Christy, 1290 N. Main
1965—Henry A. Kroula, 952 N. Calhoun
1119—Thomas H. Nases, 318 E. Washington
1884—Harlow H. McKane 903 E. Eldorado
1963—Alfred J. Davis, 817 N. Calhoun
1931—Joe J. Hawkins, 150 S. Main.
586—Carl A. Becker, 619 W. Eldorado
2121—Lawrence L. McEvoy, 1170 N. Railroad
2981—Eddie E. Smith, 245 W. King
2356—John W. Doherty, 1109 N. Main.
843—Clinton H. Bazer, 271 W. Wood
2648—Leon E. Moore 630 W. Leafland
1050—Cloyd A. Auten, 412 S. Franklin
2472—Charles T. Hamilton, 1015 N. Morgan.
2391—James F. Loes, 1157 N. Clinton.
1189—Jesse L. Patient, 331 S. Broadway.
2606—Fred V. Campbell, 845 E. Center.
2394—James C. VonDyke, 1026 N. Water
4—Raymond W. Wright, 430 E. Eldorado
872—Charles S. Shellabarger, 467 W. Main
1180—Earle A. Jamison, 751 S. Webster
2178—Fred C. Samel, 1453 E. Grand
2605—William G. Grimm, 1143 W. Macon
2341—Fred E. Knight, 1126 N. Water.
1976—Henry A. Schwalbe, 1280 E. Orchard
2106—Ernest F. Reich, 1104 E. Locust.
544—Harry A. Auth 717 W. Eldorado

MORE EXEMPTIONS.

The city board also announced its final list of exemptions Tuesday evening. Eleven of these men are given only temporary exemption, and they will be among the first to be called when the second draft is made.

The list follows

No
Serial
1831—Homer D. Personett (4).
1572—Charles Lofgren (1).
2148—W. H. Scribner (1).
2066—Henry G. Schlesier.
927—R. Z. Sanders (3)
786—Charles M. Henebry, temporary.
3251—Louis F. Robinson (1).
933—Arthur A. Steele, temporary.
2607—Birket C. Grewer, temporary.
2710—Lloyd H. Robbins.
410—Orlando Overstake, temporary.
1975—August Jendry, temporary.
3079—Arthur Doolan, temporary.
1806—Arthur F. Waddell.
1002—Clarence J. Foster (1).
1554—Frank E. Croney, temporary
2860—Orph Giberson.
2454—Raymond W. Tennison (3).
1978—Homer E. Jackson (1).
2137—Gus Setterquist.
1686—Albert W. Erlenbusch
2372—Grover C. Gebhart (1).
940—Leroy Trimmer (1)
3370—William S. Fry
1232—Joseph A. Harris (3).
1254—George W. Virden, temporary.
136—Loren N. Hodge (1).
2109—Ralph C. Varner, temporary.
1702—Fred Baldwin (1).
2786—Daily A. Young (4).
158—Chancia V. Grimm
930—Howard L. Funk.
261—Clyde P. Osborne (1).
1602—Fred A. Deibert
3302—Herman Flemmings
863—Ernest Schnepp (2)
1781—Fred H. Gendry (1)
2335—Gustav Sabotika, (1).
2883—Richard R. Ruffner.
299—Harry J. Klotz, (1).
2049—William Dongofski
3265—Emil A. Washek (3)
2321—Wm. H. Kosycesza.
19—Renard J. Spencer (1)
2350—Eldo N. Redmon
228—Elmer Chupp (2)
2304—Henry J. Saloga.
2369—Wm. H. Tosh (1)
1029—Alphonso C. Hyde, temporary
1355—Thomas Kennett

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AUTOMOBILE ROLLS DOWN EMBANKMENT

Two Men Badly Bruised in Accident.

AT MAFFIT'S BRIDGE

Car Skids Off Slippery Road at Midnight.

Theodore Pemberton, manager of the Decatur plant of the National Refining company, and William Lichtenberger, driving in an Oakland car, went over the embankment south of the Maffit bridge about 12 o'clock Tuesday night. They were coming in from a trip in the country. The rain had softened the earth of the embankment at that point and when their car skidded there was nothing to stop it and it rolled down the embankment. Mr. Lichtenberger was the worst hurt. He was caught under the car and in addition to being badly bruised, he received a bad scalp wound and several other cuts.

Mr. Pemberton was badly bruised and shaken up, and also received a few scratches. He was able to get up and he proceeded to dig Mr. Lichtenberger out.

COVERED WITH MUD.

There was no travel along that road and not a house in sight. The men were covered with mud from head to foot and Mr. Lichtenberger's wounds were bleeding profusely. Mr. Pemberton got his companion up onto the road and held him up while they waded through the mud in the direction of town. They stopped at the first house they came to, but both sank to the ground practically unconscious just after getting inside the gate.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

Monson & Wilcox's ambulance was called and took them to St. Mary's hospital. Mr. Lichtenberger's wounds were not serious and as soon as they had been dressed both men were taken home. The car remained at the bottom of the grade until Wednesday morning, when a garage crew went after it.

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SANITATION AND HYGIENE DUTIES

Of City Health Department, Says Mattes.

PHYSICIAN IS NEEDED

But Not Enough Money Has Been Appropriated.

"If the council will give the department money enough we will have a physician on the staff of the health department," said J. F. Mattes Wednesday in commenting on the attacks made on that part of the health department work at the meeting of the medical society Tuesday noon. "But the real function of the health department is preventive rather than curative. We are trying to create conditons which will prevent disease. It is the business of the doctors to cure it if it does get started.

DO NOT DIAGNOSE.

"Sanitation and hygiene are really the duties of this department and our contact with the actual disease only comes when it is necessary to prevent its spread to other members of the community."

"We do not diagnose diseases. That is not our business. The health officer is not a professional physician and it is not part of his business to say what a disease is. I do believe, however, that on account of his experience with many diseases, such as small pox, that he is just as competent to guess on it as anybody.

"The health department is only too glad to co-operate in any way to bring about better conditions in Decatur and the death rate in this city, which after all is the real test of the health department, will show that Decatur ranks among the cities with the very best records in Illinois. Sanitary and hygienic conditions here are very good and other health officials from other cities when they see our death rate and conditions here and see that we do the work at an expense of an appropriation for the whole work for all the department of $2,000 a year they are astounded.

"When the other items of expense which go with this department are taken from the fund the actual money spent on health in this town won't be over eight to 10 cents a head.

NEED REGULAR DOCTOR.

"Sure, we would like to have a regular physician on the staff. We need one and we will be glad to have one but with the funds which are appropriated to this department now we cannot possibly have any added members to the force.

"Just remember, however, that our job is preventive, not curative, and that the big work of this department has been and always will be that of keeping the city in a healthy condition. Sanitation and hygiene—cleanliness and health—compelling indifferent members of the community to maintain their premises in such conditions that they will not be a menace to the health of the other members of the city, protecting the water supply, protecting the milk against contamination, preventing the spread of contagious diseases and the like.

"That is our job and nobody in the state of Illinois works harder at it than this department and the health officer is one of the most willing workers that I have ever seen.

MUCH INTERESTED.

"I am much interested in bettering the conditions here in Macon county for our tuberculosis patients but after all that does not come directly in this department. Our job is to make conditions here so that people will not get sick, not to cure them after they have become so, except in so far as isolation of contagious cases involves the health of the rest of the community. Sure, being on your physician for the health department, but we will need some additional funds before he can be paid."

MISS SPAETH APPROVES

"I reckon you did not get what I meant to say at the meeting of the medical society Tuesday noon," said Miss Ida Spaeth, the tuberculosis expert, who is making a survey of the city and county in relation to that disease, and who spoke before the medical society regarding it Tuesday. "I certainly never meant to say that Mr. Mattes has not done everything he can for me and for the work which I am trying to do here. He has been most interested and anxious that we get that tuberculosis tent colony out at the hospital here.

"He says that his department has no funds for this purpose but that he is personally much interested in this development of the health work and while he cannot do what he would like to do because there are no funds for the work he takes a very great personal interest in the situation and is trying to help along the proposition of getting a tent colony for tuberculous patients out at the hospital."

S. B. B. Club Meets.

The S. B. B. club met for the first time Tuesday afternoon at the home of the president, Miss Margaret Brunner, 1049 East William street. The next meeting will be at the home of Florence McCormick, 1051 East William street.

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

AUG. 29, 1907.

A total of 2,500 fans were out to see the Thursday afternoon ball game between Decatur and Springfield Three-I league teams.

Miss Daisy Payne went to Assumption to take a position as principal of the high school there.

Louis Berger, ticket man at Dreamland park, was arrested for embezzlement.

Hundreds were attending the annual Macon County Old Settlers' Reunion and the reunion of the 116th Illinois C Volunteers. Dr. I. N. Barnes was re-elected president of the latter organization.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

The Norton and Jones circus went bankrupt here and employes took everything but the tent and seats to pay their salary.

Rev. A. P. Cobb preached his farewell sermon at Springfield and moved to Decatur.

Thousands of people were here from out of the city to attend the tournament being given by Goodman band in Turner Park.

The business district of Illiopolis was visited by a $25,000 fire while 10,000 bushels of corn together with several cribs, was burned on the farm of Joe Delaney near Warrensburg.

This Day In Illinois History

August 29, 1839—Meeting of the Whigs, Conservatives, and others opposed to the re-election of Van Buren held at Vandalia, Ill. August 29, 1839. Dr. Bishop appointed chairman and Dr. Q. C. Alexander and Joseph Eccles, secretaries.

IMPROVEMENTS AT THE BIJOU

Glass Canopy, New Front, and Interior Redecorated.

Changes which are being made in the front and the lobby of the Bijou theatre, when completed, will make it one of the most attractive motion picture houses in Decatur. The work which is being done now, is but a continuation of the work which was started there a year or so ago, when a main stairway was built in the lobby and an extra room to the north was added.

The new front will be of glass and woodwork, as far as possible, and will be protected from the weather by a glass canopy which will extend out over the street. It is estimated that the cost of the improvements which are now being made, will total in the neighborhood of $5,000.

The interior of the lobby will be redecorated and an entirely new lighting system will be installed. A chandelier in the center of the lobby is to be one of the features of the new system.

DECATUR WOMAN HALTS KIDNAPPING

Mrs. Minnie Sowers Finds Little Niece Bound and Gagged.

The kidnapping, or perhaps death, of a piece in Mattoon was prevented Monday evening by Mrs. Minnie Sowers of Decatur, who is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Anna Daniel, in Mattoon. The piece of nine-year-old Loretia Hunt. As she was emerging from a coal shed at dusk Monday evening, she was grabbed by a large man, bound and gagged. The man then disappeared.

A short time later, Mrs. Sowers going on to the back porch, saw the piece lying on the ground and went to her rescue just in time, as the gag had slipped down her throat and was about to choke her. Later in the evening, three men were seen drive up the alley in the rear of the house. One man got out and walked past the place two or three times and then all disappeared.

WANT A REVIEW FOR APR. 29, 1916

Firemen Completing Their Records on Arson Case.

Recently the fire department announced that it would like to get hold of a number of old copies of The Review containing articles about the old Cassel fire and the Wolfe arson case. The people responded readily with these papers but there is still one old paper they were unable to get. That was of the date of April 28, 1916. They wish to notify the people they have all but this one and to thank these people for their response.

NINE MEN WORK ON DAM REPAIRS

Harry Rothrauff Says It Will Stand Forever When Finished.

Nine men are now working on the repairs to the waterworks dam. They are driving the piling in front of the face of the dam. When this is done twelve inches of concrete will be put on the face of the dam and brought up over the top and down on the opposite side. The concrete will be strongly reinforced and Commissioner Harry Rothrauff believes it will stand forever.

Home Reading Course for Citizen Soldiers

FIGHTING ARMS OF THE SERVICE

Note—This lesson is based upon the present organization of the United States Army. Some changes may be made later.

We have spoken so far as if all soldiers were infantrymen; that is, as if all fought on foot armed with rifle and bayonet. As we all know an army is much more complex. There are two other "fighting arms" of the service, the Cavalry and the Artillery. These three branches of the Army are sometimes called the "line"—a term which comes down to us from the day when soldiers in battle were always drawn up in line. The other branches to be described later, are included under the general term "staff." However, the Engineer Corps and the Signal Corps are in part troops of the line, though they are herein described for convenience under the heading of "Staff branches of the service."

The Infantry is the backbone of the Army. "It is the Infantry soldier who must bear the greatest stress of battle, and war is more dependent for success upon his individual action than upon any other factor." By far the largest number of men in the National Army will go into the Infantry branch of the service. In the present war the importance of Infantry is even greater than in previous wars.

THE VALUE OF INFANTRY.

It is not enough for Infantry to know how to defend itself. It must know also how to attack. It is not enough that it should be able to move forward in masses. The Infantry soldier must also have the intelligent self-reliance that will enable him to act as an individual; always, of course, within the limits of military discipline.

THE CAVALRY.

The Cavalry is armed with saber and pistol, as well as rifle. Since the early months of the present war there has been little opportunity to use Cavalry on the western front. For the most part the Cavalry forces of European armies have been fighting in the trenches as Infantry.

Under these conditions it has been determined to reorganize several of the Cavalry regiments of our Regular Army as Field Artillery. United States Cavalry, as such, is not to be used in Europe at present. Some good judges believe that the Cavalry will again come into its own before the war is ended, but on this question no final opinion can now be given.

The Coast Artillery, which handles the big-caliber guns guarding our chief harbors against naval attacks, is a branch distinct from the Field Artillery, which handles the smaller guns drawn by horses or motors and moved about with the rest of the Army. The present field guns range in size from 3-inch caliber to 4.7 inch. The Field Artillery also handes howitzers, which throw heavy shells high into the air so that they will fall upon to target at a very steep angle.

The chief kinds of artillery ammunition are shrapnel and high explosives. The shrapnel is intended to burst in the face of the enemy and scatter a large number of bullets. The high explosives are used chiefly to bow up enemy trenches.

INCREASING IMPORTANCE OF ARTILLERY.

The importnce of artilery has been very much increased during the present war. It is the most effective of all weapons in preparing the way for attack. In advance of an attack on a large scale there are often several days of continuous artillery duel, during which the big guns of both sides try to locate and put out of action the opposing guns. In fact, on the western front the artillery duel never entirely ceases.

The chief qualities of a good artileryman are intelligence and tenacity. He must know his gun so well that he can not only play his own part but, if necessary, can take the place of any of his comrades. He must have the courage that enables him to hold any position assigned to him until the order is given to move.

VOTE IN SANITARY DISTRICT ELECTION.

Precct, No.	Polling Place.	MEN For	MEN Against	MEN Total	WOMEN For	WOMEN Against	WOMEN Total
1	439 East North street	15	3	18	0	1	1
2	227 East Eldorado street	9	1	10	0	0	0
3	802 North Water street	17	1	18	8	0	8
4	1035 North Water street	23	3	26	1	0	1
5	1162 North Water street	29	3	32	2	0	2
6	639 East Center street	15	2	17	5	1	6
7	1600 North Broadway street	28	5	33	12	0	12
8	1901 North Church street	31	1	32	17	0	17
9	1579 North Water street	36	3	39	17	1	18
10	1139 North Water street	30	1	31	16	0	16
11	902 North Monroe street	27	2	29	5	0	5
12	117 West King street	14	1	15	9	1	10
13	417 North Main street	19	2	21	16	0	16
14	537 West Wood street	56	1	57	31	0	31
15	537 West Wood street	63	3	66	45	0	45
16	546 Greenwood avenue	35	3	38	20	0	20
17	143 South Sigel street	31	2	33	10	0	10
18	200 South Cree street	42	1	43	39	1	40
19	Pine and North streets	33	0	33	31	0	31
20	879 North Monroe street	21	3	24	7	0	7
21	Pugh School	31	4	35	6	0	6
22	1573 North Gulick avenue	5	15	20	0	1	1
23	1107 West King street	9	6	15	0	1	1
24	Fairview park garage	26	0	26	26	0	26
25	218 South McClellan avenue	63	0	63	61	0	61
26	1565 North Jasper street	20	6	26	5	0	5
27	811 North Lowber street	18	12	30	2	0	2
28	1273 North Illinois street	21	7	28	4	0	4
29	1454 East Eldorado street	75	13	88	23	0	23
30	215 North Jasper street	15	4	19	3	1	4
31	622 East Wood street	16	5	21	6	2	8
32	2039 East William street	25	8	33	1	1	2
33	Wood and Water streets	29	7	36	8	0	8
34	902 South Webster street	63	3	66	30	1	31
35	961 South Broadway street	26	1	27	1	1	2
36	126 East Wood street	45	1	46	11	0	11
	Totals	1112	141	1253	511	13	524

THREE COMMISSIONERS WILL BE APPOINTED

By Judge J. H. McCoy as Next Step in Forming the Drainage District—Proposition Carries, 1,624 to 153.

Decatur is one step nearer to relief from the famous Sangamon river flavor following the election Tuesday for forming the Decatur drainage district. After the ballots are officially counted by the district election board, which will probably be Thursday, County Judge McCoy will then take the next step, which the new statute provides for, that of appointing three trustees for the district.

The law provides that they must be appointed within twenty days after the election. With the trustees named, Judge McCoy then steps out of the matter and it all remains in the hands of these three men, who take all future action. They decide upon what is needed. They may call for a bond issue election or devise the plans for building and paying for improvements.

NOT MUCH INTEREST

That people will not take much interest in an election unless it is over something that actually and seriously affects them is indicated by Tuesday's special election, in which less than one-tenth of a vote was cast. The election for the purpose of forming a drainage district included all of Decatur township and two or three sections of land adjoining the township, but in all that territory only 1,777 votes were cast. Of this number, 1,624 were for the proposition and 153 against it. The heaviest vote was in those precincts in the southwest part of the city and township where the stench from the river has made life almost unbearable in summer time for several years. In those districts, although not nearly all of the vote turned out, yet it was much larger in comparison with other districts. Also, it was practically unanimous for the proposition.

ALL FOR IT

The twenty-fifth precinct, for instance, which borders both sides of the river around the St. Louis bridge, turned in a total of 124 votes, and every one of these votes was for the proposition. The nineteenth and twenty-fourth were two other west side precincts that did not record a single "no" vote, while many others did not have over one or two votes against. Between 97 and 98 per cent. of the women voted for the proposition and about 87 to 88 per cent. of the men voted for it.

Only one precinct in the thirty-six showed a greater number of people voting against it and that was the twenty-second, practically a country district out in Walnut Grove addition. However, opponents to the proposition out there did not make much of a showing. Only twenty-one votes were cast out there and that vote stood sixteen against forming a drainage district to five for it. While that territory may not be affected by the river conditions at present, yet it is likely that whatever is to come will have more bearing on the condition of people up in that part of the township than to many other parts of the township, for Stevens creek flows through that precinct. As the time has arrived when that creek is also being used for sewage to a certain extent, the drainage proposition may also affect that stream.

In the city one election judge commented on the fact that the only persons he saw who were opposed to the proposition were in nearly every instance persons who owned a good deal of property. However, he said there were only a few of these.

MONTGOMERY WILL FILED FOR PROBATE

All Personal Property and Residence Go to Widow.

The will of John S. Montgomery was filed for probate Tuesday and the hearing has been set for Sept. 25. All personal property and the residence, 942 East Lincoln avenue, is to go to the widow, Mrs. Minnie C. Montgomery. A farm in Austin township is to be held in trust until the youngest child is twenty-five years old and the net income is to go to the widow. After the life of the trust has expired, the farm is to be sold and the proceeds divided among the children.

Mrs. Minnie Montgomery and Miss Alberta Montgomery were pointed executrixs and trustees.

STREET CAR HITS AN AUTOMOBILE

Harry Morgan's Machine in North Main Accident.

Harry Morgan's auto was struck by a Water street car in front of 233 North Main street at 2:15 Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Morgan was driving north next to the curb and another car that had been standing at the curb started up and got in front of him. Mr. Morgan had to turn out to avoid a rear collision with this machine, and got too close to the car track and the Water car hit him from behind. The left back fender was bent, a bracket was bent and the left rear tire had a chunk of rubber bitten out of it.

FALL SHORT IN NAVY ENLISTMENTS

One More Man Needed For Week.

THEIR COUNTRY'S CALL.

NAVY.

Eugene Roberts, 627 West Macon.

10TH INF. I. N. G.

Grant D. Rigg, 2150 N. Main St.
William White, 2400 N. Monroe St.

So far this week, only one Decatur man has selected the navy life and the local navy recruiting office needs one more man for the week to fill this city's quota for the period. The one enlistment was that of Eugene R. Roberts, 627 West Macon street, who was sent to Peoria Tuesday morning as an apprentice seaman. Roberts was formerly an elevator boy in the Powers building.

IN NATIONAL GUARD.

Grant D. Rigg and William White have enlisted in H company, Tenth regiment. Mr. Rigg is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Rigg, 2150 North Main street, and has been employed in The Herald composing room. Mr. White is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter White 2400 block North Monroe street, and has been employed by Wallender & Wilder. Both went to Springfield Monday to enlist in the National Guard.

Enlistments at the regular army recruiting office have been slow this week. While orders have been received to accept no more enlistments for the aviation section of the signal corps, the government is anxious to fill up the field artillery and quartermaster's corps and those two departments are still open.

CONSERVATION JELLIES.

IN the present great campaign for food conservation let not the housewife forget that she may adopt a new plan for jelly making that will add materially to her store of jelly put away for the winter's use.

The housewife who does not know that three or possibly four "drips" of juice from the same lot of fruit may be obtained and all made up into good jelly has yet to learn the most important lesson in jelly economy. Some housewives, indeed, have been accustomed to make marmalade or "butter" from the fruit pulp left after the juice for jelly making has been run off. Science now tells us that another way to utilize the fruit flavor remaining in this pulp is to boil the pulp up again in a little water, secure a second then a third, and—where the fruit has been especially rich in pectin—a fourth extraction of juice, and from these extractions to make a second lot of jelly quite as clear and quivering, but less sweet and not as highly flavored as that made from the first drip of juice.

Professor Goldthwaite, referred to below, states that he prefers to make what he terms Extraction 1 up into jelly by itself and then to unite the subsequent runs of juice, Nos. 2 and 3 or 2, 3 and 4, reduce them as little as may be necessary, test for pectin then add sugar in accordance with this test; boil and make into jelly.

I have frequently found it more convenient, however, to unite all the three or four runs of juice, test and make jelly from the one lot of juice. When one is using a small quantity of fruit, it is quicker to make up all the juice in one lot, rather than to boil twice with sugar. I have secured entirely satisfactory jelly by this means, and with berries generally get four glasses of good jelly to each quart of fruit.

The first extraction of fruit can usually be made in a half hour. That is, it is necessary to let the cooked fruit drip for only half an hour. It takes about the same time for each succeeding drip. A fruit known to be rich in pectin may give four drips, but a weaker one only three. Test the last one with alcohol to see whether it is worth while to attempt another cooking up. If you are going to bottle grape juice this fall, remember that the pulp remaining after the juice has been squeezed out will make an excellent jelly and one that will not be likely to crystalize as grape jelly from first drip juice so often does. Let me suggest that every housewife who has not tried making jelly from blueberries experiment with one box. The blueberry is very rich in pectin and it makes a sweet jelly.

Let me say that the best jelly-making manual of which I have knowledge is a small pamphlet issued by the Department of Household Science of the University of Illinois and reprinted by the New York State College of Agriculture in the Cornell reading courses. It embodies the results of experimentation work carried on in the former institution by Professor N. E. Goldwaithe. Any housewife who can secure one of these bulletins will find answered in it practically any jelly problem that arises.

Let me further say that the United States government, through the Department of Household Economics, has a jelly-making bulletin in process of preparation, and that those who wish to receive a copy of the first edition would do well to send their names and addresses to the Department of Agriculture before the bulletin is off the press. This bulletin will supplement the bulletins on canning and drying recently issued, and its appearance is being looked forward to with keen interest by scientific cooks all over the country.

The well-equipped laboratories of the government offer every advantage for investigation, and the men who are at work formulating directions for the housewives of the nations are scientists who study the chemical principles involved in jelly making in a way impossible for the housewife.

LAURA LEONARD

USING SUBSTITUTE FOR THE BUTTER

Ton Or More Peanut Butter Sold a Week.

The extremely high price of butter is making some changes in American diet. The day when the youngsters of a family could rush in with a clatter and a din and ask for bread and butter for lunch after play or school seems likely to pass. In some parts of town the problem of feeding the hungry youngsters and at the same time staying out of bankruptcy on account of the price of butter has been solved by giving them peanut butter sandwiches.

One concern here wholesales a half ton of peanut butter a week and one retail grocer is selling over 100 pounds each week. Over a ton a week is being sold. By buying it in bulk in 25 pound cans or larger, he is able to sell the peanut butter for 20 cents a pound and that is half what any kind of butter can be bought for. The youngsters like the new spread, it is very nourishing and is really taking the place of other butter quite extensively.

USING SUBSTITUTES.

The sales of oleomargarine or butterine have also reached large proportions and it is safe to say that Decatur is using 1,000 pounds a day of the butter substitute.

Families which do not use it on the table are buying it for cooking use and finding it an excellent and economical substitute, and no one knows the difference as far as the food is concerned.

Half dollar butter seems likely to be here within a short time. It is now 48 cents for creamery while country is selling at 40 to 42 cents when obtainable.

Apples For Sale

Carload of good quality cooking apples. Very cheap in bushel lots.

Come and renew old acquaintance with the man who knows no war prices. Quality, quantity and satisfaction guaranteed.

Car is now located on I. C. R. R. tracks between North and William Sts.

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DECATUR'S BUSY STORE ALWAYS THE LOWEST PRICES

The Stewart Dry Goods Co

227-235 N. WATER ST. DECATUR ILLS.

THURSDAY MORNING BARGAINS

—Store Closes at Noon Thursday.

Bargains from 8 a. m. to 12.

$2.98 To $8.50 Wash Dresses For $1.95

—Thursday morning $1.95 buys any fancy or tailored wash dress in stock regardless of whether it sold for $8.50, $7.50, $6.50, $3.98 or $2.98. All this season's dresses, in silk mulls, striped voiles, French ginghams, embroidered white voiles, woven polka dot voiles, fancy and plain ginghams, etc. Sizes in the lot for juniors, misses, small women and regular sizes to 44. Actually up to $8.50 values, choice **1.95**

Up To $1.95 Children's Dresses, Choice 98c

—Thursday morning, for the benefit of mothers getting children ready for school, we place on sale a great lot of children's dresses, made of striped, checked, plaid and plain chambra ginghams; some combinations. All sizes from 6 to 14. You couldn't have them made for such a low price, not to mention the materials. Children's dresses made to sell for $1.95, $1.50 and $1.25, all at choice Thursday morning each . **98c**

25c SUNLIGHT YARNS A SKEIN 12½c

—Women who are knitting for our soldiers in France, do not miss this. Upwards of 200 skeins of genuine Germantown Sunlight yarns—4 and 8 fold yarns in Saxony and Shetland. Regular price is 25c a skein. Thursday morning take your choice, per skein .....

Table Linens.	Bed Spreads.	Muslins.	Bed Sheets.	Crashes.
—25 pieces of elegant 60-inch mercerized table damask, worth 39c a yard; Thursday morning only, a yard	—200 large size pearl hemmed, crochet bed spreads in Marseilles designs; $1.50 spreads, Thursday a. m., at,	—50 pieces of best 17c grade of yard-wide, bleached muslin; for Thursday morning, EIGHT YARDS for	—25 dozen 72 by 90 full bleached, ready-made sheets; genuine 89c values for Thursday morning selling, each,	—2,000 yards of 17-inch part linen weft crash toweling, worth 15c a yard. Thursday morning only, a yard,
29c	**$1**	**$1**	**69c**	**10c**

8 Yards 25c Wash Goods For $1

—For Thursday morning selling—the greatest wash bargains ever known in Decatur. 1,500 yards of the season's most exquisite weaves—batistes, voiles, silk stripe tissues, flaxon tissues, etc. Goods that actually retailed up to 25c a yard. Come Thursday and take choice of the entire lot at EIGHT YARDS for

Salary and Position

Every person writes his own pay check.

Business is willing for every employe to have what he is worth—not more.

There is a scarcity of high priced men and women—of those who can actually earn big salaries.

If you are getting $15.00 a week, you can have $20.00 or $25.00 just as soon as you can render $25.00 worth of service.

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Just now the demand for well-trained people is extraordinary and this demand is quite likely to continue indefinitely.

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Middies. Many styles and shades. All sizes 50c

Lawn House Dresses. An especially attractive $1.25 value. A real bargain at 50c

Combination Suits. A large assortment of small sizes 50c

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Granulated Sugar, 25 pounds	$2.50
9 pounds Granulated Sugar	$1.00
Flour, a good one, guaranteed, 49-pound sack	$3.50
Pink Salmon, tall cans, dozen, $2.00; two cans	35c
Paxton Red Beans, dozen, $1.10; per can	10c
Red Kidney Beans, dozen, $1.45; two cans	25c
Coffee, a good Rio Coffee, 2 pounds	35c
Lenox Soap, per box, $4.20; six bars	25c
Crystal White Soap, per box, $4.50; ten bars	48c
Maple City Soap, per box, $4.50; ten bars	48c
P. & G. White Naptha, per box, $5.75; ten bars	60c
Ivory Soap, per box 100 bars, $5.75; ten bars	60c
Flake White Soap, per box 100 bars, $5.75; ten bars	60c
Lenox, Maple City, Crystal White, per bar	5c

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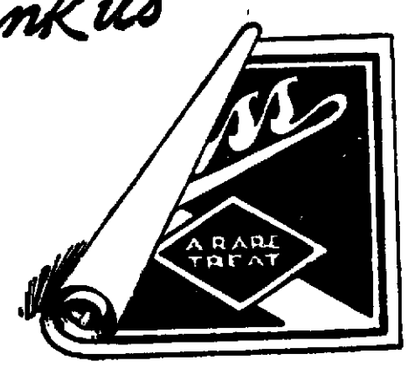

BIG POPE FAMILY REUNION THURSDAY

Other Interesting News of Pana Folk.

Pana, Aug. 29.—O. P. Simpson, program director for the Pope family annual reunion to be held on Tuesday, near Oconee, announces everything is in readiness for a most entertaining program.

The Ramsey band will furnish music at intervals throughout the day. The program is to be opened by invocation by Rev. Franklin of the Methodist church of Oconee. Readings are to be given by Arretus Burt, of Pana, at both the forenoon and afternoon sessions. Preceeding the dinner hour an address will be given by Rev. H. C. Beckett, of Galveston, Ind.

Dinner will then be served. The afternoon program will be opened with music by the Ramsey band. Those on the program for addresses are: Rev. W. A. Fuson, of Pana; F. R. Dove and U. G. Ward, of Shelbyville also Frank A. Wendling and Arthur E. Roe, of Vandalia.

Community singing will follow these talks.

The officers of the Pope association are:

J. W. Pope—President.
Harvey Hinton—Secretary.
O. P. Simpson—Program Director.

TELLS OF HOUSTON RIOT.

Glenn H. Winters, a Pana boy, who is stationed with the Second Illinois Field Artillery Battery A, at Houston, Texas, where Captain Mattes met death during a race riot last Thursday night, writes an interesting account of the experiences of Battery A.

Following the death of their captain, Young Winters and twenty others in charge of their lieutenant passed the night in a thicket of weeds, searching for fugitives. The boys detailed on this search did not get back to camp until 4:30. By the time the fugitives were located which were only a few hiding in the weeds, the fight was all out of them. They disarmed 100 of the Twenty-Fourth regiment and found from 10 to 150 rounds of ammunition upon each one. He states that the death of their captain in such a deplorable manner has cast a gloom over the camp that cannot be dispelled.

Everything is quiet there now but the soldiers are kept more strictly in camp than heretofore.

Floyd Derringer, Paul Eastep and James Hamlin, who are not yet in their teens, were lodged in jail here Tuesday, charged with robbing the Wright grocery store of a revolver and some pennies on Aug. 12. They will be given a trial before Judge Prater, of Taylorvle, but the date of their trial has not been set.

Dr J. M. Hoyt, of Nokomis, was here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schulz have returned to St. Louis, after a visit here.

Mrs. D. S Sturgeon of Bloomington, is here visiting.

Mrs. L. D. Carter, of Springfield, is in Pana, visiting relatives.

Rev. Dr. J. P Maroney and Rev. Fr. Patrick Fox are attending the retreat for priests at Alton this week. They will return to Pana Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Brown have been entertaining the following friends: Mr. and Mrs. Van Hyning, Mrs. Williams and daughter, of Edwardsville; Mr. and Mrs Homer Williamson, of Mt. Pulaski; Elmer Williamson, of Clinton; Mrs. Laura Wright and Miss Anna Sandill, of Philadelphia.

Miss Julia Coffey has resumed her duties in the supervisor's office at the Illinois Central. She has been on an extended western trip.

Mrs. Louise Haines returned Tuesday from a visit to Radford.

Miss Grace Jeffries returned to Decatur after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Jeffries

Mrs. J. G. Reynolds has returned to her home in Anthony Kas., after a visit here with her sister, Mrs Susan McCurdy.

C. S. Overton has sold a residence and two lots to A. P. Pugsley. The consideration was $700. The property is in west Pana.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rogers, who have been spending the summer here, returned Wednesday to their home in Pawnee. Mr. Rogers is manual training teacher in the Pawnee schools.

John Pierson, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Huber Memorial hospital Saturday, is reported as doing nicely.

F. C. Welty is working in the place of Louis Thoupe, a C. & E. I local conductor, who is laying off.

G. F. Morgan went to Arthur, Ill., Tuesday to close a deal for a small tract of land, belonging to the Dr. Knoodle estate west of town.

Miss Elsie Springstun will return to Pawnee, Friday, and prepare to resume her work there as commercial teacher. During her vacation she has been a guest of her parents, Judge and Mrs. H. W. Springstun.

Mrs. Glenn Gibson, of Lincoln, Neb., is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Lee Wolfe.

Miss Louise Lamphere, of Chicago, is a guest of Miss Helen Johns.

Mrs. Kate Richards, of Chicago is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Joe Hettiger.

A force of railroad employes is engaged in painting the depot at the Illinois Central and Big Four. The work of painting the Illinois Central freight house has been completed.

Rev. W. S. Wright, of Mt. Sterling, is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. James Randall are in Villa Grove visiting relatives.

Mrs. Alvin Cutler and daughter, were in Shelbyville Tuesday.

Warren Penwell is spending his vacation in Indiana.

Mrs. J. J. Pierpoint is in Kansas City, visiting Miss Lethald Hahn. Miss Hahn was formerly teacher in the primary room of the Lincoln school. During the past summer she has been in the Columbian university in New York.

J. B. Haddow is working on one of the mine engines. He was sent here from Villa Grove.

COUNCIL SESSION.

A semi-monthly meeting of the city council was held Monday night. A petition was read from Harry Tanner, the junk dealer, asking permission to have a side track constructed from the Baltimore & Ohio railroad yards to his place of business. This was granted, as it gives him better facilities for loading shipments. A petition was presented by the carnival company that is coming to Pana next week asking that the booths be erected on Sunday. This was granted but the hour designated. Booths are not to be erected until after 4 p. m.

Reports of the various city officers were made. All bills for city employes were read and allowed.

The Seven Day Adventists who are to hold a convention at Kitchell park, were granted permission to close the park gates at 10 o'clock in the evening.

The appointment of J. C. Rayhill as night policeman was confirmed. On his bond of $2000 he was principal with J. A. Rayhill and O. M. Otloe, as sureties. The matter of the complaint made by John McLaren because of high water upon his lot on East First street, was referred to the street and alley committee.

RECALLED IN DRAFT.

The following Pana men have been recalled for examination before the county exemption board: Harvey Neisler, Earl Henry, James D. Corman, Albert Dahler, Floyd Reatherford, Charles Bartow, Garry Chalfant, Louis Turner Fred Eggerman and George Kehias. They failed on the physical tests at the first examination.

The Past Presidents' Club of the Woman's Relief Corps met with Mrs. S. C Wagener Tuesday afternoon. A study of the state of Illinois is being made by this club.

John Morgan, of Mattoon, while intoxicated here Tuesday, caused a disturbance, when he imagined he was an officer. He approached Cass Proffitt, a constable and notified him he had just two hours in which to prepare to enter the service of the United States army. He told Mr. Proffitt his age was no barrier but the order was compulsory. Morgan was soon disillusioned by the Pana authorities and given a jail sentence at Taylorville.

New steel crossings were installed Tuesday at the intersections of the Big Four and Illinois Central railroad.

MT. PULASKI.

Benjamin F. Bullard, professor of history at the Lane Technical high school of Chicago, returned home Sunday after a visit here with his brother, Dr. F. B. Bullard and wife.

A. H. Lakin of this city has sold his big lath, drill press, line shafts and other machinery to the Pan-American company of Decatur. With the closing of the Lakin machine shop all the big heavy work for Mt. Pulaski will have to be sent to either Decatur or Springfield Mr. Lakin will move back to his farm.

Miss Louise Swain who has been spending her summer vacation taking special vocal lessons will return to Mt. Pulaski this week to resume her position of musical director of the grade schools.

Conrad Schick of Springfield, formerly of this city, was here Monday looking after his property. He left Monday for Minnesota to look after his farm.

Miss Barbara Phinney and Goldie Mason visited the former's sister, Mrs. Wesley Hutchison and family in Springfield the first of the week.

Mrs. Chris Richmond and daughter of Peoria, returned to their home Sunday after a visit here with Mrs. Helen Ralston and family.

Quite a number of Mt. Pulaski people have gone or are going this week to the fair at Atlanta, Ill.

Mrs. Frank Shoup and daughter, Miss Hilma, who have been visiting relatives in Galesburg and points in Iowa, are expected home this week.

Miss Ruby Potter, who has been visiting friends in Missouri, is expected home this week.

Another welcome rain fell here Monday and Tuesday.

The Afternoon Whist club met with Mrs. H. B. Capps Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reed near Brondlands.

BETHANY.

Ewing Freeland and family and Miss Ruth Bankson of Dalton City, spent Sunday here with A. M. Bankson and family.

Miss Grethel Bushart of Decatur, is here visiting relatives.

C. O. Tohill and family spent Sunday afternoon at Woodbine park.

J. C. Pearce and family of near Kirksville, spent Sunday here.

W. E. Martin was in Peoria Saturday.

Dewey Low was in Shelbyville Sunday.

Miss Maude DeBruler was a Decatur visitor Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Logan was in Findlay Monday

Hurl Clark and Lew Marshall of near Kirksville, were here Monday.

Charles Watkins and family spent Sunday in Decatur.

J. R. Low and son Clyde Low are moving the harness shop and tailor shop to the room vacated by W. R. Spicer.

Mrs. W. E. Martin and Virginia Baker spent Saturday in Decatur.

J. W. Pearce and family of near Kirksville, spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Henderson.

Mrs. George Webb of Todd's Point, was a visitor here Saturday.

Miss Diamond Vadakin was in Decatur Monday afternoon.

Miss Edna Mayfield who has spent several days here with her father, A. Mayfield and family, left Tuesday for Quincy. She is a stenographer and has worked in Quincy for the past four years. She expects to leave Quincy and accept a position at Jacksonville.

Aaron DeBruler was in Decatur Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Back and Eddie Thomason of Decatur, were visitors here Saturday.

BOODY.

Mrs. Dora Kuny and little son, of St. Louis, visited here with Miss Carrie Baumgarten last week.

Tom Sweeney spent Sunday in Indianapolis.

F. H. Pistorius was in Chicago last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. McGru, of Chicago visited here last week with O. B. Jennings and wife.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Cox Tuesday, Aug. 28, a daughter. She has been named Edith Rheulene.

E. W. Jokisch and family attended the chautauqua at Woodbine Sunday.

J. R. Wise and wife were Decatur visitors Saturday.

M. F. Colony returned Monday from a trip through Missouri.

Ralph Johns, Abner and Florence Eaton, and Clara Harvey went to Sullivan Tuesday to attend the band concert given by the Heinz band.

George W. Nolle, who has been spending the summer here left Saturday for his home in Muskogee, Okla.

OAKLAND.

The wedding of Mr Walter Polk Briscoe, of Westfield, and Miss Bertha Yenawine, of Oakland, took place at the home of the bride's mother Mrs. A. B. Olmstead in this city, Monday. The bride is a graduate of the Oakland high school and the groom is of one of the best families in Westfield.

Logan Blevins, son of M. C. Blevins, left Tuesday with his wife for Cincinnati, O., where Mrs. Blevins will live while her husband goes to the war. Mr. Blevins goes into training at Louisville, Ky., with the first group of Coles county young men.

The body of Mrs. Dwight Herrington was brought here from Tibbs, Miss., and the funeral was conducted this city, at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday. Mrs. Herrington had only been ill a couple of days. She was the daughter of Frank McGregor, of this city.

OLD AGE A CRIME

Some people are young at 60—red checked, ruddy and vigorous. Others are old at 40—joints beginning to stiffen up a bit; step beginning to lag and lose its springiness; occasional touches of pain in the back, feel tired without cause, and possibly a twinge of rheumatic pain.

In most cases these are the danger signals to warn you that the kidneys are not promptly doing their work of throwing off the poisons that are always forming in the body. To neglect these natural warnings is a crime against yourself. If you have these symptoms you can find prompt relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. For more than 200 years this has been the recognized remedy for kidney and bladder ailments.

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100-pounds Scratch Feed, no grit	$3.89
Extra good cooking Apples, per peck	25c
Extra fine Sweet Corn, per dozen	20c
10-pound pail Lard	$2.60
5-pound pail Lard	$1.30
Sugar Cured Jowls, per pound	27½c

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Make a quarter pint of beauty cream for little cost. Clears, softens and whitens the skin. Brings out the hidden roses!

By all means, girls, prepare a lemon lotion to keep your skin flexible and young looking. You will soon realize that true liveliness does not mean the powdery look or waxen colorlessness of some hothouse flower, but is typified by the velvety softness of your skin, your peach-like complexion and rosy white hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy or toilet counter and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms, and hands particularly rough, red hands.

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A Record Four-Hour Bargain List

50 More Hats to Close Out at $1

—They sold formerly up to $6 and $7. Your last chance to get one of these wonderful bargains. They probably won't last two hours—come early. Choice $1

Just See What $1 Will Do Here Thursday A. M

Four 50c Turkish Towels, $1

—Thursday till noon we will sell choice of four of our 24x48 plain white Turkish Towels, or 22x45 heavy mercerized Turkish Towels, with colored key borders—worth 50c each, at four for $1

2 1-2 Yards 50c Damask $1

—Thursday till noon we will sell 2½ yards of our best 50c mercerized Table Damask, full 64 inches wide, in a wide range of beautiful designs for $1

$1.50 Table Cloths, $1

—64-inch square or round scalloped Table Cloths, full mercerized, all pretty, patterns, $1.50 values for $1

4 Yards 35c Damask, ,$1

—Thursday till noon we will sell four yards of our best 35c mercerized Table Damask, all choice patterns, for $1

Eight 20c Huck Towels, $1

—Thursday till noon we will sell eight of our best 20c Huck Towels, size 19x38, for $1

5 Yards 35c Middy Twill, $1

—Thursday till noon we will sell 5 yards of our best 35c white Middy Twill, full yard wide, fine finish, for $1

10 Yards 15c Crash, $1

—Thursday till noon we will sell 10 yards of our best 15c Crash, white or brown, for $1

8 Yards 15c Percale, $1

—Thursday till noon we will sell 8 yards of our best 15c Percales in choice light and dark styles, for $1

35c Wash Goods 15c

1,000 Yards of Beautiful Sports Skirtings.

—Think of this: the finest 35c grade of handsome sport skirtings for less than half the regular price. You ought to buy them even if you do not use them until next summer. Several desirable striped patterns and colors—Thursday morning, yard 15c

$2 School Girls' Dresses for $1

—Decatur Garment Co.'s best $2 dresses.

—Made in the most desirable styles, of the best quality ginghams, percales and poplins; in stripes, checks, plaids and plain colors—sizes 8 to 14 years. On sale Thursday morning, each $1

2 to 6 sizes, $1.50 values, 75c.

Decatur Maid $1 Aprons 89c

—You ought to take a half dozen of these bargains.

—The Decatur Garment Co.'s smartest straight-line and gathered back bungalow aprons; of pink and blue percales, checked percales; with contrasting cuffs and piping. Sizes 36 to 44. Best $1 aprons 89c

Silk Boot Hose Bargain 39c Values for 29c

—This is our regular 39c line of women's first quality fiber silk boot stockings, really worth 45c, according to present market conditions. In black, white and all colors. Thursday morning only, a pair 29c

Children's Lisle Half Sox at 25c.

All sizes—4½ to 9—in children's fine lisle half-sox; many desirable patterns. They cost nearly as much as our special Thursday morning price, a pair 25c

90c Cocoa Mats, 49c

—Get a cocoa door mat to protect your floors against muddy feet. These are good ones; size 14x26; regular 90c values, Thursday morning, each 49c

25c Curtain Marquisette 19c

—400 yards of an extra fine grade of dainty curtain marquisette, 36 inches wide in white and ivory. A great value at 25c a yard. Special Thursday morning, 19c a yard.

Up To 50c Cretonnes 29c

—For making Red Cross Knitting Bags.

—350 yards of excellent quality, beautifully patterned cretonnes, which are wanted just now for making knitting bags and pillows. Values up to 50c a yard, Thursday morning only, a yard 29c

39c Dresser Scarfs, 25c

—Special lot of handsome 18 by 54 dresser scarfs, nicely embroidered, ready to use. Regular 39c values, Thursday morning, each 25c

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Lost—Brown leather traveling bag, Sunday night, Aug. 26, on Pine between Wm. and Water and North Sts. Contained baby clothes. Tag, Miss Adelaide Gilmore, Harrisburg, Ill. Call J. A. Greer, Drysdale Garage. Reward.

Lost—Locket and chain, between Macon and Main on Fairview or transfer house and Gibel-U-Kum Studio. Phone 6282

Lost—Pocketbook, containing $14 between Edward and N. Main, on Sawyer. Reward. Phone 5311

Lost—Between E. Orchard and business district, black bill book, containing $23.50 and other papers. Reward. 412 E. Orchard. A. G. Ruffner. Bell 3052

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Competent, experienced young lady wishes position as stenographer. Address H-646, Review

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Wanted—Experienced stenographer at once. Permanent position. Address H-681, Review

Wanted—Ticket seller at Avon theatre. Must be courteous and of good personality. Call Manager's office, in person.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Wanted—Good automobile mechanic. J. L. Winter, 109 E. Prairie.

Wanted—Elevator boys of 17 years or over. Wm. Gushard D. G. Co.

Barber Wanted—Good wages, at once. John T. Wooten Assumption Illinois.

Wanted—Man and wife to work on farm; woman to help in house. Leave address at Harkman's Store, 237 S. Park St.

Wanted—A boy with wheel. C. H. Whitney, 601 S. Water St.

Wanted—Young man as office clerk. Box 98, Decatur, Ill.

Wanted—Strong boy for general work around furniture factory, must be 16 years old. Osgood & Heiner Mfg. Co.

Wanted—25 track laborers, ¼ mile east of Wabash car shops on Wabash Railroad. Smith & Hannin R. R. Contractors.

Wanted—At once 12 steady reliable men for permanent work, best wages. Apply Decatur Malleable Iron Works.

Wanted—Single man to work on dairy. W. R. Pfeiffer. Bell 920, ring 11.

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Wanted—Carpenter and repair work at rear of 240 W. Main. Bell 2621.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Wanted—Cashiers and check girls of 16 years and over. Wm. Gushard D. G. Co.

Wanted—Lady clerk who can play piano and understands short hand. Suffern & Son, 2nd floor, 231 N. Water.

Wanted—Housekeeper to cook; a couple man and wife. Box 592, Lexington, Ill.

Wanted — An experienced maker. Apply Millinery Dept., Linn & Scruggs.

Wanted—Colored office girl for doctor's office. Call at office Dr. Marks over Neustadt's

Girls Wanted—Apply Decatur Garment Co.

Wanted—Neat appearing woman to work in restaurant. Experience unnecessary. Apply 729 N. Water St.

Wanted—Competent girl for general house work, no washing. Phone 287

Wanted—Little girl at once to care for baby. 840 E. Eldorado.

WANTED—TO BUY.

Wanted—20 A. southern Canada, Red River Valley or southeast Missouri. Pay cash. Box Suffern 231 N. Water, Decatur

Wanted—About 40 acres black land within 25 miles Decatur or Southeast Missouri. Bird Frank Suffern, 231 N. Water

Wanted—We pay cash for automobiles in any condition. Any make. Over 15 Ford and other cars for sale easy payments. Bargain prices on tires. Masterbilt Co., 40 N. Water.

Wanted to buy or rent—Used sewing machine at once. Call Miss Larrick, Phone 271

Wanted—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $2 to $15 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. Mazer 2907 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Wanted to buy—A lady's and gent's second hand bicycle frame. Phone 1207

WANTED — Men's clothing and shoes, furniture of all kinds; bicycles; in fact anything. Bell 6028; 401 N. Water. 9208

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Wanted—Furnace cleaning. F. W. Arnold, 532 E. Prairie. Bell 241.

Wanted—Dressmaking. Special prices to working girls. Phone 2168.

Wanted—If you want your walls newly papered, floors waxed and polished or varnished, call Adam Page, plaster patching and repairing, rental property, wall paper cleaning. 240 W. Main. Bell 511.

Wanted—Light hauling. Call R. H. Oliphant. Bell 4-27.

Wanted—Paper hanging, rooms papered for $4 and paper furnished. A. D. Lynn, 400 E. Orchard. Bell 2459.

If you want a good well, call F. H. Washburn 1007 W. Green. Bell 4511.

WANTED—All farmers to know that I will pay cash for all dead stock. Wm. Price, 901 North Monroe. Bell phone 4471; Auto 3024. 0675

WANTED—Your watch repair work. We sell and repair American makes. CRAW the Watch Man, 147 Merchant St. 0813

WANTED—TO RENT.

Wanted to Rent—Modern house, 7 to 9 rooms by Oct. 1, north or west, $30 to $40 per month. Apply W. H. Gragg, care Decatur Garment Co.

Wanted 3 or 4 unfurnished rooms, modern, couple without children. H-650, Review.

Wanted to Rent—A No. 1 farm, 160 acres more or less. A No. 1 references. Address Route 7, Box 8.

Wanted to Rent—2 furnished rooms for housekeeping. West side preferred. References exchanged. Bell 3446.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

For Rent—Pleasant front room, well furnished, city heat, modern. 331 N. Ed.

For Rent—Furnished front room, hot and cold water, steam heat, electric lights and use of phone. 226 S. Franklin.

For Rent—2 large front rooms furnished, modern. Phone 2173; 900 W. Decatur.

For Rent—Furnished rooms, all modern. 721 W. Main.

For Rent—Modern furnished sleeping room 340 W. Main. Bell 4945.

To Rent—Furnished room, modern, electric lights, telephone and bath; close in; 350 E. Eldorado. Bell 6215.

For Rent—In new Suffern building, corner N. Main and Prairie, 4 medium size rooms, 1 at head of stairs; good for single office rooms, or can be used as suite. Suffern 1490.

For Rent—3 furnished rooms, modern. 671 W. Prairie. Bell 6105.

For Rent — Comfortable well furnished room; modern; 712 W. Main.

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For Rent—Unfurnished rooms, city steam heat, modern except bath. J. L. Drake, 222 N. Main. Phone 977.

For Rent—Furnished modern rooms, private home, 653 W. Main. Bell 2584.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING.

For Rent—3 unfurnished light housekeeping rooms, modern, 7 blocks west. Bell 5727.

For Rent—3 furnished front rooms for light housekeeping, near locomotive shops. 810 N. Charles. Phone 1797

For Rent—2 nice clean light housekeeping rooms on first floor. 1120 N. Edward

For Rent—3 furnished rooms for housekeeping; ground floor. 625 E. North.

For Rent—2 mod. light housekeeping rooms, $2.50 week. 802 E. Main

For Rent—2 clean well furnished modern light housekeeping rooms. 511 North College. Phone 4711.

For Rent—2 nicely furnished front rooms for light housekeeping, ground floor, gas furnished. 761 E. Woodlawn.

For Rent—Furnished modern light housekeeping rooms, no children. 1209 W. Macon. Phone 4299.

For Rent—In modern home, 2 furnished housekeeping rooms. Bell 5149.

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

For Rent—Half house of 4 rooms. Inquire 148 N. Church

For Rent—4 room house for small family. 1156 E. Division

For Rent—4 room partly mod. house, 804 N. Monroe. Phone 1254

For Rent—Modern 6 room house. 662 S. Oakland. Call Bell 3771.

For Rent—5 rooms, summer kitchen, $7 per month. Small family. Myers 250 W. Marietta St.

For Rent—8 room modern 900 block E. North. A. A. Cassell, 1004 W. Main

For Rent—5 room house, mod. except furnace, gas heater in bath room, grate in parlor. 800 block Johns Ave. Phone 2720

For Rent 5 room house gas and electric lights. 150 E. Lentland. Phone 2019

For Rent—New 4 room bungalow. Rent reasonable. Inquire 2084 E. William.

For Rent—7 room modern house, 1st class condition. Phone 654. J. E. Osborne.

For Rent—5 room house partly modern 2½ blocks from transfer house. T. E. Corley, St. James Hotel.

For Rent—6 room house, electric lights. 2360 N. College. Phone 1803.

For Rent—8 room modern house. Inquire at 357 W. Green

For Rent—6 room modern house. 450 E. Marietta. Bell 2587

For Rent—6 room dwelling, cor. Condit & Third. R. R. Montgomery & Son. Phone 141 E. Main.

FOR RENT—FLATS.

For Rent—An all modern 5 room flat with gas range. 957 N. Water St.

FOR RENT.

For Rent Barn at 657 E. North, cheap, good condition.

For Rent—Store room and basement. 104 E. Prairie. R. R. Montgomery & Son. Phone 141 E. Main

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

For Sale—Large Concord grapes for delivery per bushel. Bell 1957.

For Sale—Folding kodak, also electric ceiling bowl, large size. Call 118 W. North, up stairs.

For Sale—Date cutters, $37. Also electric medical coil. Call 118 W. North St., up stairs.

For Sale—Apples, sprayed fine cookers. Phone 877

For Sale—Second hand No. 5 Underwood typewriter. Wallender & Wilder, 129 N. Main street

For Sale—10,000 second hand brick. Call 680 or 4022.

FOR SALE—VEHICLES.

For Sale—Heavy one-horse wagon and harness, 120 E. Wood. Wm. Traver.

FOR SALE—LIVE STOCK.

For Sale or Trade—Nice bay gold Donald Porter, Race addition 2 miles east of town.

For Sale—7 year old spotted double gaited pony, gentle, wagon and harness, also a Mitchell auto truck in A-1 condition. 905 N. Water

For Sale—Good Jersey Cow, would consider payments from good people. D. L. Price, 2200 E. Cantrall

For Sale—2 large horses. 336 E. Prairie. Nick Lamb. Call before noon

For Sale—At my farm, six miles southwest of Sullivan, bull calves, 1 heifer and a few head of cattle, all registered Hereford stock. W. H. McCune, R. F. D. No. 5, Sullivan, Ill.

BIRDS, DOGS AND PETS.

For Sale—15 rabbits, mainly Angora, 947 W. North. Bell 2783

For Sale—Guaranteed German Canaries. 840 N. Charles. Mrs. Wm. Landolt

AUTOMOBILES AND BICYCLES.

Wanted—Auto repairing. Let us do your next work. Best work in city, least charge. Give us a trial. Rear of 228 N. Water. L. H. Hoyer.

For Sale—Three Fords, 1917 Chalmers, 1916 Chevrolet, 1915 Studebaker. Easy payments. Suffern, 2nd floor, 231 N. Water.

For Sale—Used 5 passenger touring car, in excellent condition, can be bought cheap considering its use and the shape it is in. Address H-711, care Review.

For Sale—Maxwell runabout cheap. Owner leaving town. 235 E. Main St.

For Sale—One 1914 Maxwell 5 passenger touring car, in first class condition. Price $300 cash for quick sale. Decatur Taxi Co., 230 E. Main

Used Car Bargains—Auburn, model 35, price $275, Auburn 4 cylinder, starter and lights, $225, Overland, starter and lights, $125; one Apperson touring car, started and lights $75. Decatur Auburn Auto Co., D. S. Merritt, 208 N. Franklin.

For Sale—Good bicycle, cheap. 450 W. Olive. Phone 1087.

Wanted—Small used electric car, in good condition. C. W. Montgomery, 231 N. Water

For Sale—Maxwell roadster, cheap for quick sale. Phone Main 1

For Sale—1916 Ford touring car in first class condition, also a Buick Light Six roadster. This car is new. Rogers' Garage, 244 E. Wood St.

For Sale—Used cars, cheap, in A-1 condition. 1 Overland touring car, 1 Studebaker touring car, also accessory goods; 109 Thatcher St. J. H. Boyer.

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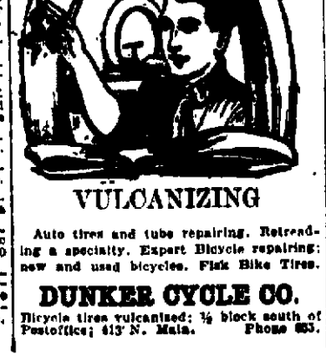

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Auto tires and tube repairing. Retreading a specialty. Expert Bicycle repairing; new and used bicycles. Fisk Bike Tires.

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Bicycle tires vulcanized; ½ block south of Postoffice; 413 N. Main. Phone 893.

For Rent—7 rooms of strictly modern home, good location. Adults preferred. 1616 N. Main. Phone 1151.

For Sale—1916 Overland touring, 5 passenger. A-1 condition. Address H-645, care Review.

For Rent—Furnished front room, hot and cold water, steam heat, electric lights and use of phone; 226 S. Franklin.

AUTO WRECKING CO.

For Sale—Autos and motors. A-1 Condition. Parts for all cars in stock. We buy, sell and exch. all kinds cars. See us first. 146 E. Packard St., Decatur, Ill. Bell 6507

AUTO PAINTING.

We are prepared to do all kinds of Auto painting and to repair bent panels and fenders.

Estimates made on work wanted. The shop is located in the rear of 457 East Center St. Shop phone 3632; residence, 4353.

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Wanted—Second hand cars for cash. Tires, parts, cars for sale.

SERVICE GARAGE
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For Sale—1914 Haynes touring car in A-1 condition. 1912 Rambler Cross Country. Call Bell 831.

High Grade Used Cars bought and sold. Always a large number to select from, ranging in price from $150 up. Several nearly new popular makes on hand now.

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Largest dealers in Used Cars in Central Illinois. 121 N. Church St.

MUSICAL GOODS.

Nearly new Emerson piano, $190. House & Davis fine condition, $120; 15 other bargains. Suffern, 137 N. Water

For Sale—At bargain price, nearly new $650 player piano, fine mahogany phonograph. Mrs. Stocks, 479 S. Main.

For Sale—Used electric piano, harps, sextrola, all kinds automatic musical instruments at less than half value. P. T. Phillips, 1028 W. Main.

FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS.

PUBLIC SALE

Court House, Saturday, Sept. 1, 1917, at 1:00 p.m.

Four good building lots, 2500 block E. Main St., to the highest bidder.

HUGH BAKER, Adm'r

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

For Sale—Five room cottage 1 block from school, 2 blocks from car line. Inquire 1005 N. College St.

For Sale or Trade—Twenty six room house suitable for rooming house or will make nice building site for auto garage. Will consider exchange of city property or farm land. 142 E. Main.

For Sale—Cheap, 5 room partly modern house, fine lot, good location. 453 E. Condit. Inquire 979 E. North

For Sale—6 room Thoroughly modern cottage at 1775 North Main on 40 ft. lot. Also vacant lot south. H. F. Dearth

For Sale—5 room modern cottage, west end, good repair. Also 2 lots in LaFayette, fd. Will consider auto in exchange. H-477, Review

For Sale Cheap—Five room house, full lot, pavement paid, sewer in part cash, must sell. Owner, 1240 W. Decatur

For Sale—Very cheap, 6 room mod. house, good location. 1236 E. Main St. Low price, $2800. Call August Heckert, Lovington, Ill., G. D.

For Sale—Very cheap 6 room mod. house, good location, 1518 E. William St.; low price $2000. Call August Heckert, Lovington, Ill., G. D.

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

For Sale—Hot Air Furnace, two mantles and grates, 24 window shades, 25 window and door screens. C. L. Hatfield, 508 Walt Bldg.

For Sale—One hot air and German silver base, large size, almost new. Address H-714, Review.

For Sale—At once, good oak dresser, cheap. Riffey, 1105 N. Main

For Sale—In our annex, we have big bargains in used furniture, room size rugs and stoves. We take your old stoves in exchange for new ones. We have a real Furniture Exchange. Beer Furniture Co., 228 N. Main St.

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941 N. Water.

Bell 2657. A. W. Patient, Prop.

Furniture

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121-129 E. North. 4741

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

For Sale—Grocery store, good location; doing good business. Reason for selling. Address H-672, care Review.

For Sale—One half interest in Hammond Auto Co., Hammond, Ill. Reason sickness in the army. Call or write Aude E. Aschmann, Hammond, Ill.

For Sale—Grocery store, good location, doing good business. Reason for selling. Address H-677, care Review.

For Sale—A Decatur confectionery, doing good business, good location. Owner leaving city. Address H-418, Review.

For Sale—Grocery store, stock and fixtures, delivery outfit, all new and in good condition; medium sized place in good location. Will sell at a bargain for cash only. Owner leaving city. H-486, care Review.

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FOR RENT

6 Rooms with barn $12.00
5 Rooms modern, N. side 25.00
5 Rooms modern S. side 20.00
7 Rooms with barn 14.50
8 Rooms modern W. side 25.00
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Meridith Rent Co.

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Money to Loan on farms, 5%, city property, 6% paying privileges stopping interest. Schepole & O'Maia, Bell 2298.

Money to Loan—5 and 6%. D. D. Hill, attorney, 215-24 Millikin Bldg.

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Decatur Loan Office

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BURTSCHI BROS. & CO.

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City and farm loans made at lowest rates.

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DECATUR, ILL.
(Over Post's Jewelry Store.)
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Rooms 7-8, Conklin Blk., 144 N. Main St. Bell phone 2041.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Piano Tuning—Players and electric players tuned and repaired. P. C. Sharps, 1071 W. Main St. Phone 6376.

Have moved from Aetna Hotel to 602 E. Eldorado. Mrs. Lamb.

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152 S. Main St.

FOR SALE—FARM LANDS.

Farms for Sale—Several fine Southeast Missouri improved farms; also unimproved lands, reasonable prices; good terms. Write for particulars. Address Ira S. Rice, Essex, Stoddard County, Mo.

240 Acre improved farm. Good soil. Price $180 per acre. First National Bank, Rockford, Iowa.

287½ Acres black level corn land, well improved. Price $150 per acre. $5,000 cash, easy terms. E. R. Smith, owner, Fairfield, Ia.

For Sale—Well improved good black soil farms in Christian and Shelby counties, at $150 to $175 per acre. H. B. Miner, Lana, Ill.

360 Acres—2½ miles from town, good house, barn and cribs, never failing well and springs, orchard, well fenced. 280 acres good farm land, 80 acres rolling; $135 per acre. Mediapolis Realty Co., Mediapolis, Ia.

620 Acres—one mile from town, churches, graded school, good neighbors, fine location, two sets of improvements, good water, soil, black loam, $90.00 per acre; good farm for two or more to buy. No trade. Smith & Thiel, Wendell, Minn.

160 acres—unimproved farm, eight miles from town, snap; on easy terms. V. W. Peterson, Mora, Minn.

Best Farm in Mahnomen county, Minnesota, consisting of four hundred sixty acres choice prairie land. Three hundred acres under cultivation. Adjoins large lake. Good fishing. Oak grove. For sale at bargain prices. Lewis Lohn, Fosston, Minnesota.

Southern Minnesota—160 acre farm, well improved, great bargain at $110 acre. Will Curtis, St. James, Minn.

For Sale—156-acre farm for sale to settle estate; located two miles south of Sullivan; close to school and well improved; quick sale if price is right. H. H. Chaney, R. F. D. No. 1, Findlay. Telephone No. 9, Kirksville.

FARMS—Wayne county; choice, rich improved and unimproved; $50 to $100 per acre. Unequalled land investment. Come and see. G. A. Spriggs, Real Estate, Fairfield, Ill. 2171

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For exchange, 335 acres near Noble, Richland Co., with 6 room 2-story house, with concrete basement, 2 barns and tenant house, fine silo, 60 acres in blue grass pasture, small orchard, balance in timothy, sod top and corn. Incumbrance of $8,000. Price $85 per acre.

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160 acres close to Springfield, Ill., all black corn land; well tiled; no better land; ½ cash, balance long time. Low rate of interest. This is a bargain for a short time at $100 per acre.

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You realize most when sold to us. The market is high. Call now!

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FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

FOR SALE

If looking for a home, would like to show you an 8 room strictly modern house; full lot, at 1235 W. Wood St. Price $5000.

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Room 1, Stine Bldg. Bell 212 or 3520.

$10 Down.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE TO PAY DEBTS—State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the County Court of said County. In the matter of the estate of William L. Conant deceased. Luella Conant, A. D., 1917, Administratrix of the estate of William L. Conant, deceased, Petitioner, vs William L. Conant, et. al., Defendants

Public Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to a decree of the County Court, of said Macon County, entered at the August term, A. D., 1917, in probate, I, Luella Conant as Administratrix of the estate of William L. Conant deceased, will, on Saturday, the 15th day of September, A. D., 1917, at the hour of two o'clock, P. M., at the north door of the court house in the City of Decatur in said County of Macon, and State of Illinois, offer for sale, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, all interest of said William L. Conant, at the time of his death being an undivided one-half interest, in the following described real estate, to wit — Lots Three (3) and Four (4) in Block No. Five (5) of the Village of Forsythe, as shown by plat of said Village of Forsythe, recorded in Book 17 at Page 556 of the records in the Recorder's office of Macon County, Illinois, said premises being situated in the County of Macon, and State of Illinois. Said interest of said William L. Conant in said Lots to be offered singly, and as a whole, and sold in the manner bringing the most.

Terms of Sale:—Cash in hand on day of sale. The interest of said William L. Conant in said Lots to be sold free and clear of the dower interest therein of Luella Conant.

Dated this 15th day of August, A. D. 1917.

LUELLA CONANT,
As Administratrix of the estate of William L. Conant, deceased.

Walters & Latham, Attorneys.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE — Estate of John Rodems, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of John Rodems, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the Court House in Decatur, at the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 15th day of August, 1917.

IDA E. RODEMS,
Administratrix.

LeForgee, Black & Samuels,
Attys. for administratrix.

WARRANT ISSUED FOR DAIRYMAN

H. J. Gray Charged With Violating Ordinances.

A warrant has been issued for H. J. Gray, the dairyman, charging him with violating the ordinance relating to the delivery of milk in the city. Commissioner Mattes has a bottle of milk taken from Gray's wagon, and the bottle apparently had not been washed for a long time. The dirt on the inside of the bottle could be plainly seen sticking to the sides of the bottle. Mr. Gray buys milk from various farmers and sells it to his patrons. Some of his milk is said to be first-class, but other samples were not fit for human food.

Edward J. Gray, the dairyman who has been violating the milk ordinance, came in Tuesday afternoon and gave bond for $35 to appear in justice O'Mara's court at 2 o'clock Aug. 31.

CONSIDER PLANS FOR NEW CHURCH

A new church for the Riverside Baptist congregation is no longer just a dream, for at a meeting Monday night committees were appointed and those committees will meet Tuesday night to consider plans.

Wednesday night, the mid-week prayer meeting will be held at the church. Thursday afternoon the Sunday school will have its picnic in Fairview park and for the benefit of those who intend to go and take their suppers with them the following menu was sent in: Sandwiches, cabbage salad, potato salad, pickles, cakes and lemons and sugar.

LEGAL NOTICES.

CHANCERY NOTICE — State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court, October Term, A. D. 1917. Case No. 24480. Preston D. Ruthrauff, vs. Maggie Ruthrauff. In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office, that Maggie Ruthrauff upon diligent inquiry cannot be located and that the place of residence of the said Maggie Ruthrauff upon diligent inquiry is not known, notice is hereby given to you, the said Maggie Ruthrauff that the above named complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against you, the said Maggie Ruthrauff, returnable on the first day of the next October term thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur, on the 1st Monday of October A. D. 1917. Now unless you, the said Maggie Ruthrauff, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 15 day of August, A. D. 1917.

(Seal) JOHN ALLEN,
Clerk Circuit Court.

LeForgee, Black & Samuels,
Solicitors for Complainant.

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SEPTEMBER 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 1917.

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MILLION DOLLAR STOCK SHOW PARADE—On Friday, Sept. 14th.
SPECTACULAR FIRE WORKS—"World at War" real demonstration and spectacular effect of a real battle every night in front of the Grand Stand, beginning on Monday night, Sept. 10th.
AVIATION—We have the best and most sensational flyers known.
AUTOMOBILE RACES—Amateur auto races, Friday, Sept. 7th. Professional auto races, Saturday, Sept. 15th.
MOTORCYCLE RACES—Saturday, Sept. 8th.
HORSE RACING—Sept. 10-11-12-13 and 14. $28,000 in purses.
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SOCIETY HORSE SHOW—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights. See premium list on pages 34 and 35.
OLD SOLDIERS' DAY—Wednesday, Sept. 12th. See program.
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Oat Meal, per package	10c
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SEE French Compel German Prisoners to Rebuild Cities They Destroyed. Motorcycle Army Corps in Training Near Pittsburg. And Other Stirring Events.

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George Beban

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Adults 10c Children 5c

Tomorrow—Marguerite Clark in "THE VALENTINE GIRL."

HEINZ BAND MAKES HIT AT SULLIVAN

Decatur Musicians Give Good Concert.

Sullivan, Aug. 29.—The rally which was held here Tuesday afternoon and evening in connection with the visit of the Fourth regimental band, of which H. J. Heinz of Decatur is the leader, and which was held under the direction of Company C, who were assisted by the Chamber of Commerce in arranging the affair, proved a success in spite of the extreme bad weather.

The heavy rains Tuesday morning put the roads in such a condition that automobiles could not travel, and kept a large number away. A crowd of 5,000 or 6,000 persons from out of the city were expected, and in spite of the weather a large crowd was out to hear the concert.

Drills were given by Company C. Owing to the inclement weather, the drills were given on the public square. A parade headed by the Fourth regimental band started at the Armory, marched west to Hamilton street and then north on Hamilton to Harrison and then east to the public square and then around the square and into the court house yard. Company C followed the band and behind them were the members of the Grand Army of the Republic and others in automobiles.

The band stand was erected on the north side of the square and after the drills by Company C, the band gave several selections.

Rev. W. B. Hopper was master of ceremonies and after a short talk introduced Attorney Ward of Shelbyville, who happened to be in the city. He delivered a short speech, which was greatly enjoyed. He was followed by a speech by Judge Cochran, who asked the people to contribute to a fund for the band and Company C and about ten young women went through the crowd and took up a collection. Rev. J. S. Tharp then made a short talk and then the band gave a few more selections. This closed the afternoon program.

The members of the band were then taken to the Illinois Masonic home in automobiles, where they gave a short concert. They returned to the city for supper. In the evening at 7 o'clock the band gave a few selections on the street and then went to the Jefferson theater, where a concert was given. The theater was filled.

HEINZ MAKES HIT.

Leader Heinz and his band made quite a hit from the time they first landed in the city at 12:30 from Shelbyville and marched to the square at the head of Company C. The band went from here to Paris at 9:40 p. m. Not only did the members of the band make a hit with their music, but also in their appearance and actions.

The collection taken and the proceeds from the concert at the Jefferson theater in the evening totalled about $200. Those who had charge of the affair for the day declare that this sum would have been at least $500 if the weather conditions had been favorable.

A number of people came over from Decatur on the train Tuesday noon and remained over until Wednesday morning to be able to see the members of the band from Decatur.

FACTORY STARTS.

The Comer Auto Signal company started their factory Tuesday afternoon. Their machinery arrived several days ago and they have been busy since getting the machinery in place. Everything was ready Tuesday afternoon to start the factory in motion. Several of those interested financilly were present when the plant was started.

The young people of the city gave a dance at the Knights of Pythias hall Tuesday evening after the entertainment was over at the Jefferson theater.

The usual weekly band concert will be held Friday evening this week on account of the band going to Windsor to play for the harvest home picnic.

A total of 1.37 inches of rain fell here Tuesday morning. About 2 o'clock a storm visited here. Rain was falling here again Wednesday morning, but was a slow easy shower and not much water was falling.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Batson moved to Decatur Tuesday. Mr. Batson will work at the Staley starch factory.

1,025 RED CROSS MEMBERS.

The Red Cross has 1,025 members in Moultrie county at the present time, as reported by the secretary of the county. The treasurer made her first report Aug. 24, which shows that the chapter of Moultrie county has only been in operation a little over a month and some of the township branch organizations have only been in operation a short time.

J. L. McLaughlin was in Springfield Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Lindsay and son, Donald, of Lovington are here visiting the former's mother, Mrs. C. A. Lindsay.

Miss Carrol Conklin, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Pearl Powell, for several days, went to Arthur Tuesday for a few weeks' visit before returning to her home in Iowa.

Mrs. E. L. Baker and two children of Lincoln, Neb., are here for a visit with Mrs. W. S. Harris.

Sullivan lodge, No. 64, A. F. and A. M., will hold stated meeting this evening at 7:30. A good attendance is desired.

S-T-R-A-N-D

TODAY
"An Entrancing Love Story"
Shows—2:00, 3.30, 7:15 and 8:45
Admission—5c and 10c

DOUGLAS BOARD EXAMINE 125 MORE

36 of 62 Claim Exemption —11 Fail to Pass.

Tuscola, Aug. 29.—The Douglas County Board of exemption took up its work for the third time in examining candidates for military service, on Tuesday morning. A total of 125 names had been drawn for this week's examination and 62 were notified to report on Tuesday and 63 today. Of the 62 notified to report for Tuesday, there were 11 discharged as physically unfit, 36 passed the physical qualifications and filed claims for exemption, 11 passed and filed no claims and four did not report.

PHYSICALLY UNFIT.

Those who were discharged on account of physical disabilities include, C. L. Hicks, Hindsboro, John Henry Ford, Newman; Edward McAllister, Atwood; J. E. Quirk, Arcola; John W. Klink, Tuscola; William Potter, Arcola; Thomas Reynolds, Kemp; Henry McCoy, Villa Grove; John L. Colwell, Tuscola; Victor L. Lavery, Villa Grove; Fuller Huffman, Tuscola.

READY TO GO.

Those who passed and did not claim exemption are William Todd, Arcola; Arthur Davenport, Villa Grove; Judson Lively, Bourbon; Harley Ellars, Tuscola; Clyde W. Deardoff, Tuscola; Thomas B. Tregar, Tuscola; Bert Andrews, Arcola; Arthur Swift, Hindsboro; Ralph Walden, Newman; Scott Whalen, Murdock.

CLAIM EXEMPTION.

Those who passed the physical requirements and made claims for exemption are Harry C. White, Newman, William H. Fields, Tuscola; Charles Naphews, Oakland; Thomas C. Hinds, Tuscola; Henry B. Bowles, Tuscola, Chester McHarrison, Arthur; William Ferguson, Atwood; Ivor L. Jones, Tuscola; Everett Skidmore, Newman; William Foster, Arthur; Benjamin F. Neal, Newman; George E. Bradford, Arthur; Glenn Seaman, Hindsboro, Rho Dolson, Chesterville, Charles R. Hudson, Hindsboro; William E. Burch, Arcola; John W. Gallian, Newman; Frank A. Brewer, Camargo; Levi W. Wilkins, Arcola; T. D. Schomburg, Newman; Frank C. McCumber, Camargo; Homer F. Bell, Tuscola; Evans Frantz, Oakland, Noah W. Purcell, Arcola; Ola R. Fleming, Arthur; Edward P. Sears, Arthur; Edward J. Yoder, Arthur; Paul Hood, Tuscola; George A. Larimer, Tuscola; Durward F. Barrick, Fairland; Verner L. Smith, Newman; Josephus Harris, Camargo; Harry Bishop, Atwood; Bonnie L. Florey, Hindsboro; John W. Blaney, Newman; Arthur H. Alcott, Arcola; Hugh L. Eyestone, Tuscola. Not reporting on Tuesday Harley Robertson, Villa Grove; Oscar E. Goddard, Villa Grove and Luther Ratcliff, Tuscola.

Previously enlisted Carl Fletcher of Newman.

It was not thought by the board at the time the last group was notified that all of them would be needed to fill up the county's quota, but the board did not wish to be the cause of any delay by not having a sufficient number of men certified to the district board when the call is made for mobilization.

HEAVY RAIN.

One of the heaviest rains of the season fell here on Monday night and Tuesday morning, again delaying the unfinished threshing and making the roads too muddy for automobile travel. During Monday night the rain was accompanied by a severe electrical disturbance and the lightning and thunder was almost continuous for a time. No material damage has been reported. The heavy rain that fell after daylight Tuesday morning thoroughly wet the oats shocks so that some time will be required before the threshing can again proceed.

Miss Ethel Todd, of Oberlin Ohio, a former teacher in the Tuscola high school is visiting here.

W. W. Michener of Homer is here visiting his son, Fred. James O. Hill of Mattoon was here Tuesday.

Fred Woodward of Newman was here Tuesday.

J. N. Heacock was in Newman yesterday.

Dr. J. F. Gillespie was at Murdock Tuesday.

Mrs. John Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Meals and I. L. Held were in Decatur Tuesday.

Carl Heacock has returned from Cissna Park where he has spent the summer working in a lumber yard.

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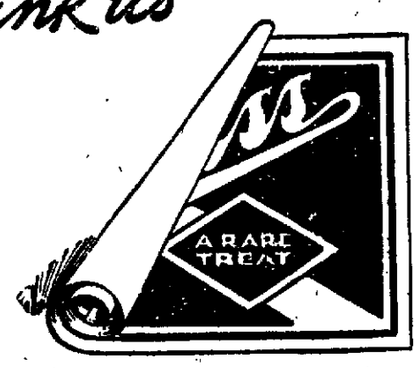

DECATUR MARKETS.

Decatur dealers are offering the following prices for grain:

Wheat	$1.80
Corn—Yellow	1.55
White and mixed	1.55
Oats	.52
Rye	1.25

Butter and Eggs.
Quoted by Max Attaal.

Eggs	.31
Butter, packing	.32

Poultry.
(Quotations to producers by Max Atlass

Hens, 4½ lbs. and over	.19
Hens, medium	.16½
Springs, 1½ to 2 lbs.	.18
Springs, 1½ to 2 lbs.	.17½
Rocks	.11
Stags	.14
Old toms	.20
Young Turkeys, 9 lbs and over	.22
Geese	.18
Ducks, young	.12
Live pigeons, per doz.	.60

Live Hogs.
Quoted daily by G. J. Dansteisen & Son:

Heavy sows	$13.00@14.50
Hogs, 150-175 lbs.	16.50@ ....
Choice young hogs, 200 lbs.	17.25@ ....
Choice young hogs, 200 lbs.	17.25@ ....
Shipping steers	8.00@ 9.00
Butcher steers	6.00@ 8.50
Choice cows	6.00@ 6.50
Medium cows	5.00@ 5.50
Bulls	5.50@ 7.00
Choice heifers	7.50@ 9.50
Heifers, medium	6.00@ 7.00
Sheep	6.00@ 8.00
Sheep	6.00@ 8.00
Spring lambs	10.00@ 11.50
Yearling lambs	10.00@ 11.00
Veal calves	7.00@ 9.50

Hides and Wool.

Horse hides, large	6.50@ 7.50
Horse hides, small	4.00@ 5.00
Sheep pelts	.60@ 2.50
Green beef hides	.17@ ....
Cured hides	....@ .30
Lamb pelts	.25@ .80
Medium wool	.58@ .60
Western wool	.35@ .45
Burry wool	.30@ .45

Local Notices.

DAY AND NIGHT SCHOOL

at Brown's opens next Monday. The enrollment promises to be large. Everything is in readiness for a good year's work. Registrations are now being made.

BROWN'S BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Dr. Elmer Martin, osteopath, Sixth floor, Powers bldg. Both phones.

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Shallenberger's Union Barber Shop. Under Millikin Bank.

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BOB SATTLEY TEACHES PHYSICAL CULTURE AT HIS RESIDENCE, 460 N. WATER.

The second annual picnic of the Anti-Horse Thief Association will be held Thursday, August 30, at the Frank Cornthwaite Grove, 5 miles south of Decatur, 2 miles east of Elwin.

All Journeyman Barbers and bosses are requested to meet at Transfer house at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, Sept. 5, to take part in parade. By order of President. Ben Collins.

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness during the sickness and death of our dear husband and son. Mrs. R. O. Beard and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Board.

Family washings. Try the damp wash. Call American Cleaners. Phone 1297.

Wanted—Three women to canvass on flour. Apply Thursday morning. W. A. Vaught 133 E. Packard.

Wanted—Male night cook. Apply Heady's Cafe, 410 N. Water.

MARKETS.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Ware & Leland.)

Chicago, Aug. 29. — Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

CORN—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close	Yes.
Dec	106⅝@108	108⅞	107⅝	108⅛	108
May	103⅝@105⅛	106⅞	104⅝	105⅝	105⅝
OATS—					
Sep.	53⅝@ 53⅝	54⅛	53⅛	53⅞	53⅝
Dec	53⅝@ 53⅝	54⅛	53⅝	53⅝	53⅝
May	57⅝@ 57⅝	57⅝	56⅞	57½	57⅛
PORK—					
Sep.	4330@	4385	4290	4300	4295
Oct.	4505@	4537	4390	4425	4372
LARD—					
Sep.	2317@	2335	2317	2320	2305
Oct.	2315@ 2312	2330	2312	2327	2305
RIBS—					
Sep.	2342@	2367	2350	2362	2330
Oct.	2355@	2360	2342	2357	2325

Market Gossip.

LONDON SILVER.

London, Aug. 29.—Bar silver, 45⅛d per ounce.
Money 4 per cent.

PRICE CURRENT.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Price Current today, says:

Plowing for new wheat crop progressing rapidly as possible, labor supply being considered. Corn crop gradually nearing maturity, although hot weather would be decidedly beneficial. Drouth has been broken in all sections. A little frost occurred during the week in extreme northwest but did no damage. Taking the great corn belt as a whole the crop is still one week to ten days late and no matter what weather between now and November there will be some soft corn, unless the unexpected, no frost before Oct. 1, happens."

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

Receipts—	Today.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	736,000	1,744,000
Corn	282,000	818,000
Oats	1,176,000	2,580,000
Shipments—		
Wheat	632,000	1,596,000
Corn	324,000	480,000
Oats	1,224,000	936,000

CHICAGO CARS.

	Rcts.	Cont.	Estd.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	74	35	76	200
Corn	71	50	72	138
Oats	305	110	344	286

INSPECTED CARS.

Chicago, Aug. 29. — Inspected cars: Wheat, 48; corn, 54; oats, 230.

LIVE STOCK.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Aug. 29.—HOGS — Receipts 4,000 head; market higher. Bulk of sales, $17.00@18.20; heavy, $17.00@18.35; packers and butchers, $17.50@18.30; light, $17.00@18.00; pigs, $12.75@15.50.

CATTLE — Receipts 14,000 head; market strong. Cows, $6.00@10.00; heifers, $7.50@13.00; stockers and feeders, $7.00@13.25; bulls $6.50@8.50; calves, $7.00@13.00.

SHEEP — Receipts 5,000 head; market strong. Lambs, $10.00@17.00; yearlings, $10.50@12.50; wethers, $9.50@11.50; ewes, $9.00@10.50; stockers and feeders, $7.00@17.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Scarcity of hogs today gave the market another upturn. Choice animals were in demand with a scanty supply in evidence. There was a liberal run of cattle, but prime stock had ready sale at higher prices. A good demand for sheep was also displayed.

HOGS — Receipts 9,000 head; estimated receipts for Thursday, 11,000 head; market strong and 30 to 50 cents higher than yesterday's average. Top price $18.35; bulk of sales, $16.80@18.30; light, $16.50@18.25; mixed, $16.20@18.35; heavy, $16.15@18.25; rough, $16.15@16.40; pigs, $11.50@15.75.

CATTLE — Receipts 22,500 head; estimated receipts for Thursday, 7,000 head; market for beat strong to 15 cents higher; others steady. Native beef cattle $8.20@16.25; western steers, $7.00@13.50; stockers and feeders, $6.00@8.25; cows and heifers, $4.05@13.15; calves, $12.00@10.25.

SHEEP — Receipts 15,000 head; estimated receipts for Thursday, 8,000 head; market steady. Wethers, $7.90@11.25 lambs, $11.00@17.00.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Aug. 29.—HOGS — Receipts 3,800 head; market higher. Lights, $17.85@18.25; pigs, $12.50@17.25; mixed and butchers, $18.00@18.25; good heavy, $18.35@18.50; bulk of sales, $17.75@18.40.

CATTLE — Receipts 1,500 head; market slow. Cows, $5.00@10.00; stockers and feeders, $6.50@9.50; prime yearling steers and heifers, $7.50@10.00; native calves, $7.75@14.75.

SHEEP — Receipts 4,000 head; market steady. Lambs, $11.00@16.75; ewes, $9.00@9.50; wethers, $10.50@12.00; canners and choppers, $4.50@6.50.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Indianapolis, Aug. 29.—Hog receipts 3,000 head, market 25 cents higher. Bulk of sales, $18.00, top price, $18.30. Cattle receipts 1,050 head; market steady, best steers, $15.65.

Cleveland Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Cleveland, Aug. 29.—Bower & Bower report hog receipts 1,000 head; market higher. Yorkers and mixed, $17.75@18.00. Cattle receipts 5 cars, market steady. Sheep receipts 2 cars; market steady.

PRODUCE.

New York Produce.

New York, Aug. 29.—BUTTER — Market steady. Receipts 18,342 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 43½@44c; creamery, extras, 92 score, 43c; firsts, 41½@42½c; seconds, 39@41c.

EGGS — Market irregular. Receipts 16,810 cases. Fresh gathered extras, 44@45c; extra firsts, 42@43c; firsts, 39@41c, seconds, 36@38c.

CHEESE — Market firm. Receipts 1,350 boxes. State, fresh specials, 24@24½c; do. average fancy, 23@23½c.

POULTRY — Market for live poultry firm; no prices quoted. Dressed poultry firmer. Chickens, 22@30c; fowls, 20@20c, turkeys, 18@22c.

New York Sugar.

New York, Aug. 29.—SUGAR — Market for raw sugar nominal. Centrifugal, 5.10 molasses, 40.52. Market for refined sugar steady. Fine granulated, $8.40@8.50.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—BUTTER — Market unchanged. Receipts 10,527 tubs. Creamery, 38@41½c.

EGGS — Market unchanged. Receipts 9,413 cases.

POTATOES — Market lower. Receipts 75 cars. Virginia, barrels, $3.75@4.00; Jersey, bulk, $1.25@1.30; Minnesota, bulk, $1.00@1.10.

POULTRY — Market for live poultry unchanged.

GRAIN.

St. Louis Cash Market.

St. Louis, Aug. 29.—WHEAT — No. 2 red, $2.15@2.22; No. 3 red, $2.15@2.10; No. 4 red, $2.07@2.14; No. 2 hard, $2.22; No. 3 hard $2.15@2.23; No. 4 hard, $2.10@2.20.

CORN—No. 2, $1.56; No. 3 white, $1.01 bid.

OATS—Standard, 55c; No. 3 white, 56c, No. 4 white, 55½c; No. 2, 54½c.

Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, Aug. 29.—CORN — Market unchanged, No. 1 mixed, and No. 2 mixed, $1.55.

OATS—Market unchanged, No. 2 white, 55½@55½c; standard, 55c; No. 3 white, 55c.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Aug. 29.—WHEAT — September, $2.15½.

Cash wheat, No. 1 northern, $2.30@2.35; No. 2 northern, $2.25@2.30.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 80@80c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 52@53½c.

FLAX—$3.37½@3.42.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—WHEAT — No. 2 red, nominal; No. 3 red, $2.03@2.08; No. 2 hard, $2.25, No. 3 hard, $2.15@2.20.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, $1.07@1.08; No. 3 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, nominal.

OATS—No. 3 white, 51½@53c; standard, 55½@56½c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.77.

BARLEY—$1.05@1.20.

TIMOTHY—$6.25@8.00.

CLOVER—$13.00@20.00

PORK—$43.00.

LARD—$23.05.

RIBS—$23.35@23.85.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, Aug. 29.—Clover seed: Prime cash, $12.00@ October, $12.60, December, $13.45, March, $13.50.

Alsike: Prime cash, $12.20; September, $12.20, October, $12.30.

Timothy: Prime cash, new, $3.05, old, $3.75, September, $3.95, October, $3.85.

CASH CORN PRICES HIGHER

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Weather conditions were generally more favorable through the corn belt, despite frost which appeared in the northwest. Under this influence prices today eased off somewhat in the early trading, though the fluctuations were within narrow limits and sentiment among traders was divided. Offerings were well absorbed. Opening prices were from ¼ cent lower to ¼ cent higher, with December at $1.08 to $1.08⅛, and May at $1.05⅛ to $1.05½. Slight rallies were followed by recessions to about yesterday's final figures.

Later the corn market exhibited more firmness, the dominating factor being an advance in cash prices. The close was strong, ¼ cent to ⅝ cent higher, with December at $1.08½ and May at $1.05⅝ to $1.05⅞.

Oats opened ⅛ cents lower to ¼ cent higher. Sellers predominated through the early trading, though price variations were small and figures held at about yesterday's closing levels. Country arrivals continued light.

Provisions advanced in sympathy with higher prices for live hogs, the initial increases ranging from ten cents to 30 cents. Lard was the most active product.

Wheat traders marked time awaiting the announcement of the government purchase price. The cash market was quiet and prices mainly unchanged, only small quantities changing hands.

How are the Roads?

The roads in all directions are muddy.

Sullivan—Roads in bad shape. Mud to do p.

Taylorville—Roads muddy in all directions.

Mt Pulaski — Heavy rains have made the roads muddy.

Ement—Roads are muddy in the vicinity ofEment.

Shelbyville—Mud everywhere.

Tuscola—Roads expected to dry up soon.

Paris—Roads muddy.

EXPECT LARGEST STATE CORN YIELD

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 29.—The 1917 corn crop is going to be the biggest Illinois has ever had. This is the belief of department of agriculture officials, who yesterday completed the annual crop report.

With reports of 37 previous corn crops at hand all agricultural experts declared continued favorable weather conditions will allow Illinois to harvest a corn crop such as has never before been gathered either in this state or any other.

Complete reports to the department of agriculture show there are 9,725,134 Illinois acres planted in corn. The department's agricultural experts, figuring on favorable weather for the remainder of August, all of September and the early part of October, estimate the Illinois crop will average 40 bushels an acre. Unfavorable weather would slightly decrease that average while ideal weather would increase it.

FIGURES ON THE CROP.

Figuring 40 bushels to the acre the 9,725,134 acres in corn will yield 389,005,350 bushels, which is 68,028,059 bushels more than the 1902 yield of 320,977,000 bushels, which now has the record for a single year's yield. The estimated 1917 crop also is 147,981,561 bushels more than the 1916 crop of 241,023,799 bushels.

BLUE MOUND.

Jefferson Birks made a business trip to Taylorville Friday.

John Whitman and family accompanied by Mila Gabriel motored to Gridley Friday. They returned home Sunday evening.

Miss Vida Coffeen and Misses Biller attended the Taylorville chautauqua Friday.

A Question.

Champaign Gazette—Said the near cynic: "Judging from the time some of the young blood of this town arrive home in the morning, it's hard to tell whether to call them night owls or larks."

LEGAL NOTICES.

CHANCERY PUBLICATION NOTICE — State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court of said Macon County. To the October Term, A. D. 1917. Philip Mueller, et. al. vs. John H. Harpstrite, et. al. Partition.

Notice is hereby given to the Unknown heirs at law or devisees of Jacob Minch, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of William L. Powers, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Benjamin Wilson, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Robert Smith, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of David Schmick, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of William Pratt, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Asa Eastman, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of John R. Miller, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Elizabeth A. Davis, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Laura S. Allen, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Julia Packard, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Henry McKenna, deceased, Bertha H. Garwood and John H. Harpstrite, each a non-resident of the State of Illinois and made parties defendant to the above entitled suit, that Philip Mueller, Robert Mueller, Fred H. Mueller, Adolph Mueller and Adolph Mueller, Trustee, as complainants, have filed their bill of complaint in said court in the October Term A. D. 1917, against each of you, making each of you with Mary A. Harpstrite, Emma F. Harpstrite, Fred Wilson and Chas Jinnison, parties defendant, and that summons has been issued to said term of court returnable on the 1st day of October 1917, which suit is now pending.

Affidavit having also been filed herein that each of you the above named heirs at law or devisees of each of the above named deceased persons and John H. Harpstrite and Bertha H. Garwood are non-residents from the state of Illinois, so that summons cannot be served upon you.

Therefore Notice is hereby given that unless you the said non resident defendants shall be and appear in said court on the first Monday in October 1917 and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the matters and things therein alleged, will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered accordingly.

August 28th, 1917.

JOHN ALLEN,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.
Albert G. Webber,
Solicitor for Complainants.

CHANCERY NOTICE—State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court, October Term, A. D. 1917. Case No. 21720. P. G. Allen vs. Michael Giblin, Nellie Giblin, John Taylor, Robert Taylor, Mary Helen Taylor, Emma A. Giblin, Joseph Patrick Giblin Jr., Emmet Michael Giblin, Helen M. Summers, Helen L. Lyon, Ruth B. Weaver, Charles P. Summers and Charles P. Summers, Administrator of estate of Albert T. Summers, deceased, In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in this office, that Michael Giblin, Nellie Giblin, Taylor, John Taylor, Robert Taylor, Mary Helen Taylor and Ruth B. Weaver of the defendants in the above entitled cause, are non residents of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to each of you, the said Michael Giblin, Nellie Giblin, Taylor, John Taylor, Robert Taylor, Mary Helen Taylor and Ruth B. Weaver that the above named complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you the said Michael Giblin, Nellie Giblin, Taylor, John Taylor, Robert Taylor, Mary Helen Taylor and Ruth B. Weaver, returnable on the first day of the next October term thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the First Monday of October A. D. 1917. Now unless you, the said Michael Giblin, Nellie Giblin, Taylor, John Taylor, Robert Taylor, Mary Helen Taylor and Ruth B. Weaver, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 29th day of August, A. D. 1917.

JOHN ALLEN,
(Seal) Clerk Circuit Court.
Vail, Miller & Pogue, Edgar H. Allen, Solicitors for Complainant.

CHANCERY PUBLICATION NOTICE — State of Illinois County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court of said Macon County. To the October Term, A. D. 1917. The Millikin Trust Company, Etc., vs. Maude Brinton, et al. (Construe Will and other Equitable Relief.

Notice is hereby given to Minnie Maude Morehouse and Maude Brinton, each a non-resident of the State of Illinois, and each made a party defendant to the above entitled suit, that The Millikin Trust Company, a corporation, and Charles M. Hurst, as the Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Martha Morehouse, deceased, and Charles M. Hurst, as the Testamentary Trustee of the Estate of George E. Morehouse, deceased, have filed their bill of complaint in said court to the October Term, A. D. 1917 against each of you, making each of you parties defendant, and that summons has been issued to said term of court returnable on the 1st day of October, 1917, which suit is now pending.

Affidavit having also been filed herein that each of you the said Minnie Maude Morehouse and Maude Brinton are non-residents from the State of Illinois, so that summons can not be served upon you.

Therefore notice is hereby given that unless each of you, the said Minnie Maude Morehouse and Maude Brinton, shall be and appear in said court the first Monday in October 1917, to plead, answer or demur to said bill, the matters and things therein alleged will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered accordingly.

August 28th, 1917.

JOHN ALLEN
Clerk of the Circuit Court.
Albert G. Webber,
Solicitor for Complainants

CHANCERY PUBLICATION NOTICE — State of Illinois County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court of said Macon County. To the October Term, A. D. 1917, C. Fred Sierr vs. Jan De Graff, et al. Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given to Jan De Graff, a non-resident of the state of Illinois, and made a party defendant to the above entitled suit, that C. Fred Sierr, as complainant, has filed his bill of complaint in said court to the October Term A. D. 1917 against you making you with Eva B. De Graff and Edward F. Tolling, parties defendant and that summons has been issued to said term of court returnable on the 1st day of October 1917, which suit is now pending.

Affidavit having also been filed herein that you, Jan De Graff, are a non-resident from the State of Illinois so that summons can not be served upon you.

Therefore notice is hereby given that unless you the said Jan De Graff, shall be and appear in said court the first Monday in October 1917, to plead, answer or demur to said bill, the matters and things therein alleged will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered accordingly.

August 28th, 1917.

JOHN ALLEN,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.
Albert G. Webber,
Solicitor for Complainant.

CHANCERY NOTICE — State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court of October Term, A. D. 1917, Case No. 21517. M. E. Smith vs. Frederick M. Baybrook, Adm., et. al. In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that The place of residence of the defendant, Ruth White cannot be ascertained, and that Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love two of the defendants in the above entitled cause are non-residents of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to each of you, the said Ruth White, Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love that the above named complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you, the said Ruth White, Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love, returnable on the first day of the next October term thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the First Monday of October A. D. 1917. Now unless you, the said Ruth White, Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 28th day of August, A. D. 1917.

JOHN ALLEN,
(Seal) Clerk Circuit Court.
T. F. Drew, Solicitor for Complainant.

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It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that The place of residence of the defendant, Ruth White cannot be ascertained, and that Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love two of the defendants in the above entitled cause are non-residents of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to each of you, the said Ruth White, Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love that the above named complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you, the said Ruth White, Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love, returnable on the first day of the next October term thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the First Monday of October A. D. 1917. Now unless you, the said Ruth White, Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 28th day of August, A. D. 1917.

JOHN ALLEN,
(Seal) Clerk Circuit Court.
T. F. Drew, Solicitor for Complainant.

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300 BOYS ON TRIP TO U. OF I.

Lads Meet Thursday Night to Get Instruction and Tickets—Names from Two Districts.

The 300 Junior Sanitation league boys who are going on the trip to Champaign Friday, which is given as a reward for the good work they have done, are to meet at the High school auditorium Thursday night at 7:30 for the purpose of getting instructions and tickets.

BIG DINNER.

The trip planned will be a most interesting one and will take in all the sights of the state university and of the two cities of Champaign and Urbana. There will be a big dinner for the boys and it is expected that the return trip will start at 5 o'clock Friday evening.

The meeting Thursday night at the high school is to explain all the details of the trip and to distribute tickets.

ENTITLED TO TRIP.

Every boy who has faithfully performed the work laid out for him in connection with the summer's campaign of the Junior Sanitation league, every boy who has made the surveys required of him and kept his own premises in good condition, is entitled to take the trip and should attend the meeting Thursday night. A ticket will be given to each boy recommended by the district superintendents.

All members of the Junior Sanitation league who are also members of the Boy Scouts should wear their Boy Scout uniforms, as they will act as an escort. About 200 boys and eight or ten men will go on the excursion. They will leave Decatur at 8 o'clock Friday morning and will start back at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The boys who will make the trip are the following:

SOUTHWEST DISTRICT.

CAPTAINS.

H. Logan — H. Owen

DIVISION A.

C. Wilhelmy — R. Logan
R. Wycoff — C. Miers
Ira Barnes — Chas. Fields
F. Hill — Chas. Shockey
C. Epp — T. Alexander
J. Nicholson — C. Hawkins
C. Hill — Wm. Kenney
R. Hamblin

DIVISION B.

F. Disney — A. Williams
Francis Cope — W. Rothfuss
R. Chandler — James Hill
M. Thomas — John Ditto
R. Williams — V. Kenney
D. Jenkins — G. Blanchard
D. Henchy — H. Ehrhart

DIVISION C.

Russell Six — Wm. Pitner
John Miller — John Bohon
Wm. West — Carl Miller
M. Tenney — A. Chapman
R. Mesnaid — Jack Elsie
J. Hullett — Irwin Hurtt
C. Lewis — M. McIntosh
Ed. Ellis — F. Foltz
H. Mursey — E. Campbell
John Donovan

DIVISION D.

R. Olive — H. Osgood
F. Dayton — R. Carter
Ed. Engleman — Ben Platt
R. Engleman — W. Rolin
Wm. Taylor — R. Gloss

DIVISION E.

C. Johnson — Chas. Murray
H. Walley — E. Scruggs
H. Minium — L. Bohon
R. Mills — Ivan Six
J. Moore

DIVISION F.

H. Parker — M. Weaver
Chas. Smith — H. Hansen
R. Teler — Rex Mason
R. Pearse — A. Johnson
J. R. Austin — L. Shaw
R. Weaver

NORTHWEST DISTRICT.

L. Shaw — F. Andrews
H. Shaw — J. Burley
F. Mulvain — D. Cook
O. Wheatley — C. Delaughter
Lee Myer — A. Delaughter
E. Richardson — L. Hiser
R. Spooner — K. Kinkade
J. Grabenhofer — R. Kirkwood
E. Etherton — D. Kirkwood
C. Folkers — E. Logan
K. Century — F. Morris
G. Fortner — Ed. Sapner
R. Gentry — E. Stoddart
J. Johnson — C. Tuttle
T. Muzzy — H. Witzeman
A. Olsen — E. Biddle
K. Olsen — E. Meers
C. Peck — R. Lathrop
H. Caudle — C. Flint
G. McClelland — R. Garrett

SOUTHEAST DISTRICT.

H. Ryder — C. Esch
A. Walker — P. Hershey
G. Phillips — O. Johanson
J. Phillips — H. Jackson
J. Meredith — R. Grace
M. Finnegan — E. Martin
G. Persineky — T. Holmes
G. Wright — J. Foale
F. Wright — M. Riedal
F. Jeness — C. Holtzclaw
C. Comerford — G. Roderrich
R. Comerford — R. Caskey
F. Bretz — O. Geiefski
J. McCarthy — K. Brosand
G. Bauer — E. Semelka
R. Goodrich — R. Semelka
F. Allen — Wm. Sheehy
Delbert Dirt — P. Michner
L. Ruthraff — A. Hutton
E. Schroll — W. Hoppe
F. Sternberg — D. Edwards
R. Nihiser — L. Kalips
T. Bolkins — H. Lyons
K. Humble — F. Berry
C. Kaiser — F. Kekelsen
J. Cantwell — E. Davis
J. O'Connell — W. Jackson
T. O'Connell — W. Robertson
E. O'Connell — E. Byrne
T. Ramsey — F. Moran
F. Giddis — P. Tipster
M. Pierce — J. Perry
E. Dixon — E. Wenger
W. Burrus — J. Heisler
M. Burrus — H. Meyer
C. Betts — W. Sherer
F. Dolson — C. Connelly
D. Fee — J. Lahme
J. Snow — C. Walser
K. Graybill — F. Carr
W. Hoffmire — J. Sherer
L. Keck — H. Frend
J. DeBold — S. Young
E. Culver — R. Kellogg
H. Howland — V. Rosets
W. Williams — G. Fouler
A. Fundan — E. Wilderman
A. Fundan — E. Hughs
W. Lanton — R. Hughs
C. Dulen — V. Martin
W. Conlon — C. Cochran
D. Conlon — L. Cochran
W. Adams — E. Sensenbaugh
R. Walton — R. Wheeler
A. Pygman — C. Downing
Don. Pygman — R. Denise
J. McGarry — Geo. Reese
E. Wheeler — L. Kirkman
J. Graham — P. Dodd
E. Bickes — F. Peers
M. Pygman — C. Jackson
M. Culver

NORTHEAST DISTRICT.

C. Hendrian — G. Blankenburg
W. Heyne — W. Bartuschewski
A. Robatzek — W. Lorenz
P. Teike — W. Koschinski
H. Hendrian — P. Colony
H. Robatzek — Wm. Erix
A. Salogga — H. Scepanski
E. Resalski — Carl Reich
H. Lelpski — L. Crawford
E. Rokosch — C. Disney
L. Hawkins — W. Wittke
A. Kropla — E. Adams
L. Seitz — H. Hill
W. Kersch — H. Hill
C. Lauser — W. Sabiotny
O. Sutter — O. Reilly
A. Dodwell — J. Davidson
W. Beck — H. Sabiotny
A. Swartz — O. Gronkowski
E. Sutter — A. Borowski
A. Baginski — E. Hachet
F. Morenz — G. Kennison
B. Patzewitz — F. Forsythe
J. Delaney — J. Johnston
W. Striefski — E. DeLong
A. Scharein — F. Hubbell
A. Rader — J. Clark
E. Novack — L. Yale
Carl Brix — F. Campbell
Geo. Hill — C. Rubert
W. Schwittek — O. Stewart
F. Grolia — V. Pollard
H. Title — J. Logan
C. Bomball — L. Robbins
W. Salewski — R. Trowbridge
C. Rauscheck — E. Stern
F. Blankenburg — O. Barnhart
F. Ploski — M. Wagy
A. Rauscheck — H. Starbody
L. Grabowski

WAS BUSY DAY FOR DAN CUPID

Five marriage licenses were issued Wednesday afternoon before 3 o'clock and in three cases the bride was older than the groom. In the same three cases the age of the groom was 23, while that of the bride was 24.

Three of the five couples who secured licenses were married by Judge McCoy. The first was Harry O. Woodruff of Redmon, Ill., and Della M. Ammerman of Oakland. The groom is a farmer.

The second couple was Fred T. Dryer and Lucile L. Lantz, both of Downs. Mr. Dryer is a farmer, also.

The third couple married by Judge McCoy was Elmer B. Morse and Ethel A. Knight, both of Fithian. The groom is an electrical examiner.

MARRIED

LEE-STOMBAUGH.

Miss Lelah Stombagh of south of Macon and Jesse Lee of Pana were married at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Rev. F. A. Havighurst, at his residence, 701 West Main street. They were accompanied by Miss Belle Thomas of Decatur.

Mr. Lee is employed as a mechanic at the Thomas Taggart garage at Pana. His folks live at Buffalo. The couple will make their home in Pana.

HENDERSON-FORSYTHE

Richard F. Henderson of Marshall and Miss Ruth O. Firsythe of Paris were married at high noon Wednesday, the ceremony being performed by Judge J. H. McCoy at the court house in Decatur. The groom is a farmer.

CROSS STATE TRAIL MARKS

Boosters Decide on a Black X.

A meeting of the Cross State Trail representatives was held in Decatur at the circuit court room Tuesday afternoon and the question of markings and routes was discussed.

ROUTE IN COUNTRY.

It was generally agreed that probably the new trail would take the Ocean to Ocean route west as far as Niantic and then cross over to the state aid road north of that place. The route east out of Decatur was the subject of considerable discussion, the Piatt county people asking that it go out by the William street road and that it go through Milmine.

MARKINGS.

The question of marking came up and a white band with a cross on the white with the letters C. S. in the angles of the X mark on the post was proposed.

A. M. Kenney, the real trail booster in Decatur, said that this county would put the marks on the poles if the other counties would see to it that the markings were made there.

The trail is planned to run from Quincy to Danville by way of Jacksonville, Springfield, Decatur and on east.

AT MEETING.

A number of Macon county supervisors were at the meeting here and one or two people from the west end of the trail but the active interest was taken by the Piatt county representatives who wanted the trail to come their way.

WABASH NO. 9 JUMPS THE TRACK

Bad Accident Near Illiopolis Tuesday.

Wabash No. 9 west went off the rails a mile west of Illiopolis yesterday because of a broken rail. None of the cars turned over and there was practically no damage to equipment. It was a narrow escape from a serious calamity. The train left Decatur twenty minutes late and was running at a speed of forty miles an hour when the accident occurred. The engine and one car went over the break and stayed on the track.

The train was brought to a stop several hundred yards beyond the break with all of the cars upright but the passengers had been given some mighty rough riding. A west bound interurban car stopped at the scene of the wreck and picked up a number of passengers, taking them on the Springfield. With the help of several engines and freight crew the cars were rerailed without calling out the wreck crew.

TO INSPECT STOKERS.

John J. Hannahan of Pittsburgh, Pa., vice president of the Locomotive Stoker company, was in Decatur Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning inspecting the stoker equipment on the new engines and generally investigating the quality of work which they are giving.

The Locomotive Stoker company makes two stokers for locomotives, the Street stoker, in two types and the Duplex stoker, which is in operation on the new Wabash engines. The Duplex stoker is considered by many to be the last word in locomotive stoker equipment.

Mr. Hannahan was formerly president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Firemen and has a wide circle of acquaintances in railroad activities. Mr. Hannahan left at noon Wednesday for Chicago.

DERAILMENT DELAYS.

A freight derailment on the north end of the Wabash near Forest Wednesday morning blocked all south bound traffic for two hours.

Wabash passenger train south No. 19, was delayed more than an hour by the mixup. Aside from damage to the track there was no other damage. The wrecker was called from Decatur to rerail the cars.

RAILROAD GOSSIP.

Manford (Red) Koenig, chief clerk in the engine dispatchers' office, returned Wednesday from Houston, Tex., where he was for ten days. He left Houston just as the riot trouble there was beginning, although evidences that it was brewing were plentiful before the outbreak.

Tabor Hamilton, division superintendent of the Vandalia, returned to Decatur Tuesday evening after spending the week end with his family at Mackinac Island, Mich.

W. A. Hopkins, assistant general freight agent of the Wabash, with offices at St. Louis, was in Decatur Wednesday morning for a brief visit with freight officials here.

DeWitt Old Settlers.

The DeWitt county old settlers will hold their annual reunion at Kenney, Thursday, and there will be a number of people go over from Decatur. If the rain would keep away for a time there would be more who would drive over but several will go on the train.

Among those to go will be L. W. McNeill, S. A. Edwards and family, and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kirby. Mr. Edwards will make a talk.

Harold Pogue in Decatur.

Harold Pogue, secretary of the Association of Commerce and also captain in the supply company of the Tenth Illinois infantry, was in town Tuesday working on the sanitary district election.

Captain Pogue is expecting that the drill period of the Tenth will be over in two or three weeks and the men sent back to their homes.

The regiment is now drilling with real guns and is being put into good shape rapidly.

Sues for Divorce.

Rose Disney has filed a bill for divorce from Raymond Disney. They were married May 19, 1904, and lived together till June 8, 1917. She charges him with cruelty. There are four children, two boys and two girls, and she asks for the custody of the two girls.

GROCERS TO CLOSE ON LABOR DAY

Retail Dealers Decide to Remain Open Till 10 A. M.

At a meeting of the Decatur Retail Grocers' Association held Tuesday evening, it was decided to close all stores at 10 o'clock on the morning of Labor Day. All stores in the association will abide by this ruling, and the family that is not supplied with groceries by that hour will have to borrow some from the neighbors or go hungry.

STRUCK IN EYE BY SHRUB LIMB

B. W. Griffin Sues T. C. T. for Alleged Loss of Sight.

Burdett W. Griffin, through his attorneys, Henson & Gilbert has filed suit for $1,250 against the United Commercial Travelers. While walking on West Main street last March, Mr. Griffin was struck in the right eye by a limb of a shrub that extended out over the sidewalk, and he alleged the sight was destroyed by the accident, and that the insurance department of the order refuses to allow him the sum he is entitled to under his policy and would only pay the weekly benefits while he was laid up and unable to work.

SUB STATION OF POSTOFFICE MOVED

From B. O. Breeden's to T. E. Shaw's Store.

Postal substation No. 16, which has been located in the B. O. Breeden store at the southwest corner of King and Monroe streets, has been removed to the T. E. Shaw store on the northeast corner of that intersection with Mr. Shaw in charge. Mrs. Breeden, who was in charge of the substation, has sold out the store. The change took effect Wednesday.

News from Sick Beds

A. H. Mills is still improving after his operation for appendicitis. He will be taken home from the hospital about Monday.

D. B. Tate, who has been ill at his home at 443 East Cerro Gordo street, is slightly improved.

"GARDEN OF ALLAH" AGENT IS DEAD

James J. Boschell, Aged 32, Expires.

WAS SUDDEN ATTACK

Motion Picture Man Taken Sick at Hotel.

James J. Boschell, aged thirty-two of Elizabeth N. J., died at St. Mary's hospital in this city at 12:33 o'clock Wednesday morning. Death was due to an attack of Bright's disease, from which he had been suffering only a few days.

Mr. Boschell was a representative of the Edmund M. Allen Film Corporation of Chicago, Mr. Allen is a brother of James M. Allen of this city. The Allen Corporation had purchased the Illinois state rights for "The Garden of Allah" a motion picture production of eight reels.

ON STATE TRIP.

Mr. Boschell had made a trip to St. Louis and had "sold" the production in a theater there. He had then started for a trip through Illinois and Decatur was his first stopping point. It is understood that he sold the "Garden of Allah" to the Lincoln Square theater last Friday or Saturday and then was taken sick at the St. Nicholas hotel. Mr. Boschell at first thought it was only a light ailment and refused to call a doctor. On Sunday however, a physician was secured.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

Ben Beadell, 6957 Indiana avenue, Chicago, is special representative for the Allen Film Corporation and he was sent to Decatur to look after Mr. Boschell. He had him taken to St Mary's hospital, and in spite of all the physicians could do for him the unfortunate man grew worse until he died.

Mr. Boschell was unmarried and has a sister living at Elizabeth N. J. He weighed 250 pounds and was a fine appearing man. The body was taken to Moran's and Wednesday afternoon was shipped to Elizabeth. Mr. Beadell will accompany the body to its destination.

JESSIE HENDERSON GOES TO NORMAL

H. H. S. Teacher Will Fill Vacancy on the Normal Staff.

Miss Jessie Henderson, teacher of commercial subjects in the high school, has been secured to fill a vacancy in the Normal schools by the Normal school board. Miss Henderson is a graduate of Farris Institute in Michigan and has had fourteen years experience in public school work. In addition she served for three years as stenographer in a wholesale house. She has taught in Decatur for five years.

DAWSON FAMILY ANNUAL REUNION

Will Take Place Thursday at Decatur Fishing Club.

The annual reunion of the Dawson family will take place Thursday at the Fishing club, where the members of the family will be guests of Mont Penwell, the president, at his cottage.

Those who have no way of getting out to the club are to meet at the Dawson millinery store, 119 East William street, at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, and conveyances will be provided for them.

The reunion is held alternately at Decatur and Lovington. Last year it took place at Lovington, so comes to Decatur this year.

WILL VISIT SONS IN U. S. SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Hayes Off to Washington and Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Hayes, 875 North College street, left Tuesday night on a trip of about ten days to Washington, D. C., and Chicago. In Washington they will visit their son, Dr. John Hayes, who is now expecting to leave for France soon. On the way back, they will stop in Chicago to visit another son, Edward Hayes, who is at the Great Lakes naval training station.

COOL WEATHER HITS THE ICE BUSINESS

Companies Are Not Laying Off Any Men However.

The continued cool weather has put a crimp in the ice business say the ice men as that business follows the thermometer very closely. "We are not laying off any men, though," says J. H. Warnecke, "we need all we have and good men are too hard to get at this time."

DEEDS RECORDED

Reuben Rambo to E. G. Eckhardt, lot 3, block 8, Roman Place; $1,650.

Frank Spangler to Reuben Rambo, lot 15 block 1, H. A. Tuttle's addition; $1,500.

MEETINGS

MASONIC.

Stephen Decatur Lodge No. 969, A. F. and A. M.—Meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in Eldorado temple.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Richard F. Henderson, Marshall, Ill. ... 41
Ruth O. Forsythe, Paris, Ill. ... 34

Harry O. Woodruff, Redmon, Ill. ... 23
Della M. Ammerman, Oakland ... 21

Fred T. Dryer, Downs ... 24
Lucile L. Lantz, Downs ... 19

Jesse Lee, Pana ... 32
Lela Evelyn Stombaugh, Macon ... 32

Wayne I. Ferguson, Gaslan, Ind. ... 23
Opal Glenn Orr, Uniondale, Ind. ... 21

Elmer B. Morse, Fithian ... 23
Ethel A. Knight, Fithian ... 24

FREE CARS ALL DAY TO FACTORY

Final Plans for Pan-American Opening.

All arrangements for the big opening Thursday of the Pan American Motors factory have been completed and the plan as originally announced will be carried out.

There will be street cars on the Condit line which will have banners on them indicating that they are the free cars to the Pan American factory and they will run immediately behind the regular cars on the regular schedule.

DAY AND NIGHT.

The factory will be open from 10 in the morning until 10 at night and there will be music and refreshments during all the time of the opening.

The most interesting exhibit will be that showing automobiles in all phases of construction from the bare frame to the beautiful violet car which is just finished and which will be sent to the state fair and to Peoria after the exhibit here.

ALL WELCOME.

Every body will be welcome to see the new factory and the free cars will run all day on the Condit line for this event.

OPEN CHICAGO BRANCH.

A branch factory office of the Pan American factory will be opened in Chicago within the next few days, immediately after the first of September. A. H. Wyatt, general sales manager, and H. C. Pfaff, factory sales manager, will be in charge and will go there soon after the opening here.

The location of the new sales room will be on Michigan avenue on automobile row, and will probably be in the neighborhood of the 2300 block.

INQUIRIES.

Inquiries are coming to the factory from all over the world. Two letters in Spanish arrived at the office Wednesday one from Elizabeth, Portugal, in Portuguese merely added to the troubles of that department.

MAY DECLARE FIVE BOYS DELINQUENT

Petitions Filed in County Court Charged With Theft of Brass.

Petitions were filed in the county court Wednesday asking that William Koslowski, Arthur Sharein, Paul Orkowski, Walter Patzewitz and Edward Naughton be declared delinquent and that the delinquency decree in the case of Fred Schimanski, declared delinquent some time ago and admitted to probation, be modified and that he be sent to the St. Charles training school.

These boys are alleged to be part of a gang of youngsters who have been stealing brass from engines and cabooses in the Wabash yards. It is said that they have stolen everything made of brass that they could get away with, including parts of engines that would cost a great deal of money to replace.

DROWNED YOUTH'S FUNERAL HELD

Large Attendance at Leake Services.

The funeral of William G. Leake, the young man who was drowned Saturday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. pool, was held at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the First Methodist church. There was a large attendance of friends, and a great many beautiful floral tributes were sent. A beautiful floral blanket entirely covered the casket.

The services were conducted by Rev. S. L. Shaver, assisted by Rev. L. L. Riley of Springfield, a cousin of Mr. Leake.

The music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. Frank Gaugher, Mrs. Milton Bergen, Lloyd Moffett and Sylvius Daubenspeck.

The flowers were in charge of Miss Ruth Campbell, Miss Beulah Broadstone, Miss Louise A. Chenoweth, Miss Addie Dillehunt and Miss Helma Buehle.

The pallbearers were John Welty, Albert Lindamood, Austin Green, Cecil Bass, Paul Borden, Ernest Kyle, Charles Bloom and Frank Baugher. The interment was in Greenwood.

MISS LUCRETIA J. LEEPER.

The funeral of Miss Lucretia Jane Leeper was held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at the residence of her sister, Mrs. E. L. Dotson, on the Race farm northeast of Decatur. The services were conducted by Rev. J. W. Hoggess.

The pallbearers were John Evans, Elmer Hudson, Grover Barrett, Fred Kraus, Charles Reich and R. S. Llewellyn. The interment was in Fairlawn cemetery.

Rare Chance for George Irish.

That there is just a faint ray of hope for the life of George Irish, former Decatur boy, now in St. Louis, is the report of one of his physicians according to word received from his brother, Charles Irish Wednesday morning. He is being kept up for two days, the one physician says there will still be a slight possibility of his recovery.

MUELLER MEN TO NEW YORK OFFICE

Claude K. Zimmerly and M. E. Henderson Leave Saturday.

Claude K. Zimmerly, who has been connected with the billing department at the Mueller factory and M. E. Henderson, who has been in the sales department, will leave Saturday night to take positions in the same respective departments in the New York office.

Oscar Mueller, in charge of the Mueller plant at Sarnia, left for that place Wednesday, after a four-day busines visit here.

MRS. W. L. HULL DIVISION GENERAL

Decatur Woman Named State Officer.

APPOINTS OFFICERS

State-wide Campaign For Election in 1918.

Mrs. W. L. Hull, 1526 North Main street, has been appointed division general for the Woman's Emergency league of the Illinois Equal Suffrage association, and has already started work toward the organization of her territory, which includes three counties, Macon, Shelby and DeWitt. Mrs. Hull's first work is to appoint her brigadier-generals and they will select their lieutenants and other subofficers to take up the work.

Mrs. Hull, who is the wife of W. L. Hull, member of the Decatur Lumber company, is well known in social and church circles in Decatur, as well as in the Y. W. C. A. and Woman's club. In her work in the Emergency league she will be associated with some of the most prominent women in the state, who are on the executive committee of the league. Among them are Mrs. Grace Wilbur Trout, of Oak Park, chairman of the committee; Mrs. Harrison Monro Brown of Peoria, Mrs. George T. Palmer of Springfield, Mrs. Frank H. Funk of Bloomington, and others. Mrs. Hull can be reached over telephone No. 4906 for information in regard to her work.

PURPOSE OF ORGANIZATION.

The purpose of the Woman's Emergency league is to conduct a statewide financial campaign to raise enough money to insure the success of the campaign of information which will precede the general electio nof November, 1918, when the male voters of the state will ballot upon the constitutional convention resolution, and later when the members of the convention are chosen and when the result of their work is placed before the people for ratification. The financial "drive" will take place Sept. 19-29.

It is felt that th eonly way to secure equal suffrage for Illinois is to secure it through a new constitution. Even the opponents of equal suffrage concede that if a constitutional convention is called it will include an equal suffrage plank in the new constitution.

NAMES BRIGADIERS.

Mrs. Hull has already selected a number of her brigadier-generals, and others are being secured. Among those already named are Mrs. E. W. Carter, Mrs. Edmunds, and Miss Rose Elliott.

REPORT FINDING HAND IN RIVER

Coroner Monson Gets Word from Mt. Auburn.

Considerable excitement was caused at Niantic at 1:45 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon by the reported finding of a woman's hand, severed at the wrist, floating on a log in the Sangamon river, a mile south of that village.

Many persons were inclined to believe that the hand is wooden and not human. Mr. Pritchett, the undertaker at Niantic, was called out to make an examination. Coroner Leon Monson of Decatur was notified, but he said he would wait ad see if the hand is really humn or not before he made a trip out to see it.

LEM BALL'S STORY.

Lem Ball of near Mt. Auburn is said to have made the discovery of the hand. He told Mr. Monson that it was apparently a woman's hand and had been severed at the wrist. There appeared to be no blood on it. The hand had the appearance of having been on the log for some time.

WOULD PHOTOGRAPH IT.

"It may be another lion story," said Coroner Monson, "and o nthe other hand, it might be a real hand. A hand might be thrown into the sewer and thus find its way into the river. If it proves to be real, we will take a photograph of it and try to establish its ownership."

Mr. Ball and the other men with him who found the hand were not anxious to pick it up, and they waited for Mr. Pritchett to arrive from Niantic.

PATRIOTIC PROGRAM AT CONGREGATIONAL

Will Be Given for the Men Called into the U. S. Service.

A patriotic program is to be given for the men who have been called to service, at the Congregational church Sunday evening at 7:30. Although this service is especially for the newly called men, all of their friends are invited. A patriotic program will be given and the pastor, Dr. Frank Fox, will preach a patriotic sermon.

G. A. R. ATTEND.

Luther Barnard, acting commander of the G. A. R., has issued the following order to the local post:

"The Grand Army will attend the patriotic service in the Congregational church Sunday evening, Sept. 2.

"The veterans of the Civil war will inspire with their presence the men who are leaving home to enter the new army. The old soldiers will join with the young soldiers in showing their loyal devotion to our country.

"All members of the Grand Army and veterans are called to meet in their hall Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. They will march to the Congregational church where seats will be reserved for them as a guard of honor for the men who have been called to the colors. The service at the church begins at 7:30 sharp."

Steam Heat Turned On

Steam heat was turned on in some of the buildings which had power plants and steam already for use Wednesday. Sweaters, coats and other wraps were in evidence in the buildings where heat was not available

FIRST MEN TO GO TO DES MOINES

Scraps of News

COMING BACK.

Charles E. Davis, of the department of internal revenue, expects to get back to Decatur some time in September. He has been in southern Illinois for some time.

FROM KENTUCKY.

Irving P. Bright of Bright Bros., returned this morning from a week spent in Paducah, Ky., where he has been supervising the equipping of their new store.

FROM NEW YORK.

Miss Mary Ann Osborn of the Decatur Musical college returned Tuesday night from New York, where she has spent the summer in study.

FIRES.

A few had fires last night in fire places and furnaces. Temperatures of 60 are not cold, but they make a little fire feel good.

REAL NEED.

Decatur is to have another marked trail, the Cross State, Danville to Quincy. Marked trails are useful, but what Decatur needs most is a few well dragged roads, about as inexpensive as a marked trail, but much harder to get.

THE TIME.

This is the time to drag roads. Highway commissioners please notice.

A RELIEF.

After next spring we will have only one-third as many highway commissioners as we now have, which should help the roads quite a little.

FEWER FLIES.

It is noted that there are fewer flies this summer, and the "swat the fly" campaign is given the credit.

TURNIPS.

About the only garden seeds being planted now are turnips, and gardeners say there is still time to get a crop if the season is favorable.

I. C. OFFICIALS HERE.

J. L. Roth, superintendent of the Indiana division of the I. C. railroad; C. A. Keene, chief dispatcher, and F. R. Oren, road master, of Mattoon were in Decatur on business Monday.

MOTOR TRIP.

John Gepford, steward of the county farm, is planning to start Thursday morning on an auto trip to St. Louis if the roads dry out.

GAME THURSDAY.

The Mueller-Staley game for the Commercial league championship will be played Thursday afternoon on Staley field. It was to have been played today but the grounds were muddy.

TWO FRANK CROSSES.

Frank Cross, who was charged with bootlegging, is colored. The white Frank Cross had nothing to do with the case.

HIGH NUMBER.

Automobile state license number 308,000 is the highest seen in Decatur.

APPLES.

J. E. Rucker brought a load of apples to Decatur Wednesday. There were twenty bushels.

BUILDING.

The total of building permits in August will be over $100,000, about the same total as a year ago.

People You Know

Charles McKee is here from Ohio for a visit of two weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Thomas McFarland has returned to her home in Philadelphia after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Archer, 758 East Roger avenue. This is the first time that Mrs. McFarland has seen her father and sister in twenty years.

Mrs. F. A. Claussen of Appleton, Wis., who has been visiting Mrs. J. H. Harder, 363 East Main street, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gis-inger of Argenta spent Sunday with Mrs. James Board, 965 East Main street.

Mrs. Ira Hoy has returned from a three weeks' visit in Chicago.

The Misses Freta and Winona Davison of Long Creek are visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. H. Kaercher, 815 East Cleveland avenue.

H. F. Cloud, son of B. F. Cloud is here from Indianapolis for a short visit. He is taking a course in industrial engineering in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Stowell and Ward Stowell, were in Bloomington Tuesday attending the funeral of Mrs. James I. Stowell.

Mrs. Carl Krichbaum of Cleveland is here for a visit with Mrs. Mary E. Coover, 246 Central avenue.

Miss Mollie Kirkman, 769 West Eldorado street, returned Monday from a four weeks' visit with her brother, George E. Kirkman, in Manitou, Colo.

THREE BUILDINGS BURN AT PIERSON

Postoffice, Restaurant and Another Room Destroyed by Fire Tuesday Night.

Pierson, Aug. 29.—Fire destroyed three buildings in this place Tuesday night shortly after 9 o'clock. The fire started in the building which has been occupied by the local Red Cross workers in making supplies for the army. The blaze quickly spread to two adjoining buildings occupied by the Pierson postoffice and A. D. Shaw's restaurant. A Ford automobile, owned by Henry A. Salzer, which was stored in one of the buildings, burned.

The Red Cross women had a large quantity of sewing and goods on hand which was saved. It was slightly damaged.

The cause of the fire is unknown. It is thought that mice probably met some matches on fire in the building used by the Red Cross members.

The Decatur city exemption board announced Wednesday afternoon the names of the men who were the first to go from here to Des Moines. There are nine names and they represent the five per cent. that are to be sent at this time.

ON SEPT. 5.

On Sept. 5 three men are to be sent. They are:

458—William Knodle, 845 North Monroe.

726—Bert S. Guynn, 706 West Main street, a cook.

2636—Richard H. Lewellin, a railroad man who came from Texas to be examined. He has had some military training.

ON SEPT. 6.

The men who will leave Sept. 6 are:

452—Guy L. Dickerson, 404 North Oakland avenue, manual training teacher. He has had some military training.

Guy Bundy, 526 South Oakland avenue, a meat cutter.

ON SEPT. 7.

The two who go Sept. 7 are:

1066, Samuel Morthland, Jr., 303 East Washington. He has had some training.

2549, Harold Holland, 411 East Stuart. He has been employed by the Decatur Railway and Light company.

ON SEPT. 8.

The men who go Sept. 8, are:

1022, Clarence S. Bowers, 615 South Boyd street. He has had some military training.

349, William T. Mills, 240 West Prairie. He is a skilled mechanic.

BOUND OVER TO THE GRAND JURY

James Rowe Charged With Stealing J. Frank Godwin's Pigs.

James Rowe charged with stealing some pigs from J. Frank Godwin, appeared before Justice J. Edward Saxton Wednesday morning, waived his preliminary hearing and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $300.

NAVAL RECRUITS OFF TO PEORIA

Ten Young Men Answer Calls to Colors.

Ten more Decatur young men, who enlisted in the navy some weeks ago, and were then sent home to await the call, have gone to Peoria and will leave there Wednesday night with a bunch of recruits for the Great Lakes naval training station. Those called from Decatur were William O'Heren, Carl M. Pemble, Harold K. Miller, Luke N. Hunt, James L. Robertson, Clarence Fundy, Paul Hatfield, William Delaney, Raymond S. Scherer, Lewis H. Brand.

MRS. EDITH CURTIS TYPHOID VICTIM

Many Patients Are Improving and Leaving the Hospital.

Mrs. Edith Curtis 823 West Packard street, is seriously ill with typhoid fever. She was taken to the Macon county hospital Tuesday night. A member of the Glendale Williams family, 2040 North Main street, also is ill and the doctors fear typhoid.

Dr. A. L. Ward, who has been very ill for the last week, is no better.

Many of the other patients are improving and nearly every day one of the cases in the hospitals recovers sufficiently to be taken home.

DAUGHTER HAS IT.

Miss Pauline Ward, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Ward is ill with typhoid fever. Her father and brother have had the fever for several weeks.

Ladies of G. A. R. Meet.

The Thomas G. Johnson circle, No 107, of the Ladies of the G. A. R., will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. Mirdie Gentzler, 1312 North Water street, Wednesday at 8 p. m.

SEITZ FAMILY IN ANNUAL REUNION

Henry Oyler of Bement, President of the Association.

Ninety seven and 100 members of the Seitz family attended the seventh annual reunion of the family which will be held in Fairview park this afternoon.

Owing to the unseasonable weather, the attendance was materially affected, as there are numbers of the family who planned to attend, who were unable to drive through. The picnic dinner was served in the pavilion at noon and a short business meeting was held following the dinner. Henry Oyler of Bement is the president of the association.

NEED $800 FOR COMFORT BAGS

What Money Is Being Raised for Demonstration.

Porter J. Milliken, chairman of the committee in charge of raising funds for the demonstration in honor of the Decatur and Macon county drafted men next Wednesday, stated Wednesday that the $800 will probably be used for the purchase of comfort kits for the soldiers. Four hundred of the kits will be purchased at $2 each.

Decatur soldiers who have already received the kits have written back that they are just what they wanted and needed. They contain many articles that cannot be found in the supplies issued by the army.

GOVERNOR'S TRIAL CONTINUED TODAY

Austin, Tex., Aug. 29. — After a short session this morning the Senate adjourned the high court for the trial of Governor James E. Ferguson on impeachment charges until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

CHICAGOAN HEADS CATHOLIC BODIES

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 29.—Thomas P. Flynn of Chicago, was elected president here today of the American Federation of Catholic Societies. He succeeds John Whalen, of New York

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